From:

To: <u>Hearings</u>
Cc: <u>Edwina White</u>

Subject: HPE CM: Notifications Consent Submission: Group 542

Date: Sunday, 10 May 2020 10:57:56 AM

Group ID: 542

Consent name: Bathurst Coal Limited

Consent number: CRC184166, CRC200500, CRC201366, CRC201367, CRC201368,

CRC203016, RC185622

Name: Arthur McGregor

Care of:

Mailing address 1:

Mailing address 2:

Suburb:

Town/City:

Post-code:

Country:

Mobile phone:

Work phone:

Home phone:

Email:

Contact by email: Yes

Is a trade competitor: No

Directly affected: No

Consent support/hearing details

- CRC184166: oppose | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
- CRC200500: oppose | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
- CRC201366: oppose | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
- CRC201367: oppose | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
- CRC201368: oppose | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
- CRC203016: oppose | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing
- RC185622: oppose | NOT to be heard | will NOT consider joint hearing

Reasons comment:

I oppose the granting of these consents for two main reasons. Firstly, the environmental

disruption in general, and specifically the negative impact on kowaro. Secondly, the downstream effects of coal extraction which will contribute to climate change - we must keep carbon in the ground and move towards a green, sustainable economy. Continuing to extract coal, and expand coal mines, is not an acceptable future. Issuing consents for coal extraction with 20+ year duration is irresponsible and these consents must be declined.

Consent comment:

The consents must be declined