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Subject: HPE CM: Notifications Consent Submission: Group 542
Date: Monday, 11 May 2020 11:05:46 PM

Group ID: 542

Consent name: Bathurst Coal Limited

Consent number: CRC184166, CRC200500, CRC201366, CRC201367, CRC201368, CRC203016, RC185622

Name: William Stewart

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: Yes

Consent support/hearing details

- CRC184166: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC200500: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC201366: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC201367: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC201368: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- CRC203016: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing
- RC185622: oppose | WANT to be heard | WILL consider a joint hearing

Reasons comment:

There is no doubt that climate change is real, and worsened by coal emissions. New

Zealand recognizes climate change, the urgent need to reduce fossil fuel use and emissions. Christchurch City council has declared a climate emergency. ECAN has declared a climate emergency. We should not expand a coal mine, you need to plan for a gradual wind up of your operation and the same goes for your customers. Canterbury continues to face water quality issues and degraded waterways - we do not need to be removing water and adding waste to the problems we currently face. Canterbury suffers from the worst air quality in the South Island, coal consumption contributes to this and coal production supplies and supports consumption. Finally, our wetlands contain irreplaceable biodiverse ecosystems - Canterbury has lost all too many of these, and it takes centuries to reestablish native flora and fauna – you're asking to destroy our current environment, so you can continue attempting to destroy our future environment.

Consent comment:

Decline all consents sought. Look at a time frame for ending existing consents.