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MISSION ON MIGHTY RIVER POWER LTD APPLICATIONS FOR RESOURCE CONSENT

Section 45 of the Resource Management Act 1991

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This submission relates to the applications for resource consent lodged by Mighty River Power Ltd for the Turitea Wind Farm identified on the next page.

DATE AND TIME FOR SUBMISSIONS: 5.00 PM MONDAY 23 FEBRUARY 2009

Mr Mrs Miss Ms (Please circle the appropriate title(s) or print clearly below)

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Tick the relevant boxes on the next page to identify whether you are making a submission on all applications for resource consent or just some of them (please identify).

Indicate on the back of this form (✓) whether you support, oppose, or are neutral in relation to the applications. If you are making a submission only on parts of an application for resource consent, please note this when specifying the nature of your submission.

Tick the relevant boxes for my/our submission are: If you are attaching further information tick for yes

PALMERSTON NORTH HAS MORE THAN ENOUGH WIND TURBINES ON THE HILLS THAN ANYWHERE ELSE IN THE COUNTRY. WE HAVE SACRIFICED THE BEAUTY OF OUR HILLS TO THESE DISCUSSTING GENERATORS OF POWER. SINCE POWER - THEY ARE NOT THE ANSWER TO OUR CURRENT POWER PROBLEM.

Request the following decision from the Board of Inquiry (provide precise details including the nature of any conditions sought):
RESOURCE CONSENT BE DENIED FOR ANY MORE WIND TURBINES ON THE MANAWATU HILLS AND ESPECIALLY IN THE CITIES WARD AREA.

Please use more pages if you need to.

Use a clear tick in the appropriate box below (✓)

I wish to be heard in respect of my/our submission (to speak at the public hearing).

I do not wish to be heard and hereby make my/our submission in writing only.

Signature: [Handwritten Signature] Date: 08-02-09

boxes below to indicate the called-in applications for resource consent that your submission concerns. Tick in the appropriate box or boxes (✓).

My/our submission concerning all applications for resource consent below

My submission only concerns the applications for resource consent that I/we have ticked below:

	Support	Oppose	Neutral
Manawatu (Horizons) Regional Council – Land-use Consents			
Vegetation clearance and land disturbance in rare or threatened habitats, near streams and on highly erodible soils throughout the general wind farm site.		✓	
The construction of a double culvert in an un-named tributary of the Kahuterawa Stream as shown on map.		✓	
Manawatu (Horizons) Regional Council – Discharge Permits			
The discharge of dust to air from the concrete batching plants to be located as generally shown on the map.		✓	
The discharge of dust to air from the mobile crushing plant throughout the general wind farm site.		✓	
The discharge of wastewater from two operations and maintenance facilities to land to be located as shown on the included map.		✓	
The discharge of stormwater from substations to land to be located as generally shown on the map.		✓	
The discharge of cleanfill to land in the form of spoil disposal sites throughout the general wind farm site.		✓	
The discharge of stormwater from roads, turbine platforms and other areas to land.		✓	
North City Council – Land-use Consents			
<p>to build and operate a wind farm in the areas within the Palmerston North city jurisdiction as generally shown on the included map</p> <p>The earthworks associated with tracking and roading, turbine construction and associated buildings within the Palmerston North city jurisdiction as generally shown on the included map</p> <p>The construction of a road on the eastern side of Pahiatua Aokautere Road not meeting access requirements at the location shown on the map</p> <p>The storage of diesel (10,000 L) in bunded areas outside the Turitea water supply catchment, generally within the two substation laydown areas shown on the included map, that exceeds the 0.2 effects ratio in the rural zone</p> <p>The construction of a 220 kV electricity transmission line and substations as shown on the included map.</p>		✓	
Northland District Council – Land-use Consents			
<p>The construction of a wind farm (which is not listed as a permitted or controlled activity) in the areas within the Tararua District as shown on the included map</p> <p>The disturbance of more than 200 m³ of soil and cleanfill material associated with tracking and roading, turbine construction, spoil disposal and other associated works in the areas within the Tararua District as shown on the included map</p> <p>The construction of a road to South Range Road and the construction of new site access at the location shown on the map</p> <p>The construction of wind monitoring mast structures not meeting height requirements within the Tararua District</p> <p>The identification of a Significant Natural Feature in Schedule 3.3 (ie, Tararua Ranges Ridgeline) not meeting noise requirements</p> <p>The disturbance of indigenous vegetation in the areas within the Tararua District as generally shown on the map.</p>		✓	

A copy of this submission form MUST also be sent to Mighty River Power Ltd at:

Mighty River Power Ltd