

**SUBMISSION ON AN APPLICATION FOR RESOURCE CONSENT UNDER  
SECTION 96 OF THE RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ACT 1991**

**TO:** THE WEST COAST REGIONAL COUNCIL

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**APPLICATION NUMBER:** RC 07150 MOKIHINUI HYDRO POWER SCHEME

1. I oppose the application MERIDIAN ENERGY LTD.

For a HYDRO ELECTRIC DAM CONSTRUCTION

MOKIHINUI HYDRO POWER SCHEME

2. **The particular parts of the application I oppose are:**

I oppose the damming of the Mokihinui River

3. **The reasons for making my submission are:**

- Loss of existing white water rafting and kayaking amenity
- Modification / loss of the Mokihinui Valleys' existing natural ecosystem

4. **I wish the consent authority to make the following decision:**

Decline consent for applicants' proposal to dam the Mokihinui River

5. **I do wish to be heard** in support of my submission.

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