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**SUBMISSION ON RESOURCE CONSENT APPLICATIONS**  
Section 96 Of The Resource Management Act 1991



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Meridian Energy Limited  
PO Box 2454,  
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**Applicant:** Meridian Energy Ltd      **Application Numbers:** tick boxes overleaf  
**Closing Date for Submissions on the Mokihinui Hydro Proposal: (Wednesday 23 April 2008)**

(Please print clearly)

Title: ~~Mr~~ Mrs Miss Ms

It is a human right not to have a title.  
(Please circle the appropriate title(s) or write below)

Use this please

My/Our Full Name(s): Lesley Helen Shand

Postal address: Actual Address. Island Hills Pulverden Nth Cant.

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~~I/we support the application numbers ticked on the back of this form~~       (tick one)  
I/we oppose the application numbers ticked on the back of this form       Totally in opposition to this proposal

The reasons for my/our submission are as follows (further information attached (tick for yes)   
[State in summary the nature of your submission, giving reasons]

~~It is not sustainable and does not meet the requirements of RMA Part II. These include:~~  
~~It has adverse effects on the ecology of the area, adverse effects on the landscape including a loss of the old track route and other adverse effects on the historical associations with the area.~~  
~~There are adverse effects on the recreation activities & access which include trampolining, white water kayaking, fishing & photography of this amazingly beautiful area.~~  
~~There would be an adverse effect in that there would~~

to this extent

I/we wish the consent authority to make the following decision [Give details, including the nature of any conditions]

be an almost total loss of wilderness.  
I have serious concerns about the safety aspects of the proposed project  
The adverse effects on ecological values include loss of kiwi habitat and that of indigenous & endemic fauna & flora

~~Use this please~~

Please could the consent authority decline this proposal in its entirety

LH Shand. Attached to my P<sub>i</sub>

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Use the tick boxes below to indicate the resource consent applications your submission concerns.

\* → I/we make <sup>my</sup>our submission concerning **all** the resource consent applications below  (tick)  
~~My/our submission **only** concerns the resource applications ticked below~~  (tick)

\* → I/we **wish to be heard** in support of my/our submission  (tick one)  
~~I/we **DO NOT** wish to be heard and hereby make my/our submission in writing only~~

Signature(s): LH Shand

Date: 20th April 2008

~~If this is a joint submission by 2 or more individuals, each individual's signature is required~~

I/we have served a copy of my/our submission on Meridian energy Limited as per Section 96(4) of the RMA  (tick)

Consent List

Mokihinui River  
consents RC07150/1 – RC07150/6

Earthworks and Vegetation  
consents RC07150/14 – RC07150/19

Inundation Area  
consents RC07150/7 – RC07150/8

General Construction  
consents RC07150/20 – RC07150/23

Staging Area  
consents RC07150/9 – RC07150/10

Access Roads, Walking Tracks and Recreational  
Activities  
consents RC07150/24 – RC07150/26

Substation and Transmission  
consents RC07150/11 – RC07150/13

I have concerns about all of these listed consents  
activities and their adverse effects  
~~that~~

I repeat the proposed consents  
are not sustainable and have adverse effects  
~~according to~~ Part 11 of RMA Act.