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**SUBMISSION ON RESOURCE CONSENT APPLICATIONS**

*Section 96 Of The Resource Management Act 1991*

THE WEST COAST REGIONAL COUNCIL



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**TO: THE WEST COAST REGIONAL COUNCIL**

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Copy to:  
Meridian Energy Limited  
PO Box 2454,  
Christchurch.

**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 (Please circle the appropriate title(s) or write below)

My/Our Full Name(s): Waikato Kayak Club

Postal address: PO Box 9497, Hamilton

Terry Lasenby, president

Michelle Wallace, secretary

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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

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]  
We, the members of the Waikato Kayak Club, oppose the construction of this hydro dam. Members of our club make annual trips to this and other rivers in the area. This river is highly valued for its excellent whitewater and magnificent scenery. We would consider it a huge and irreplaceable loss to recreational users and all lovers of wild and beautiful places.

I/we wish the consent authority to make the following decision [Give details, including the nature of any conditions]  
We would like the consent authority to decline the application by Meridian Energy Ltd in totality.

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

I/we make my/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): JC Roseley President  
A. Wallace Secretary Date: 18-4-08

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