

**AFFECTED PERSONS CONSENT FORM
PURSUANT TO SECTION 94 OF THE
RESOURCE MANAGEMENT ACT 1991**

To: Buller District Council
PO Box 21
WESTPORT

West Coast Regional Council
PO Box 66
GREYMOUTH

Affected Persons Details

Name: ONTRACK (New Zealand Railways Corporation)

Address: PO Box 593, Wellington 6140

Legal Description of Property Affected: Pt of Ngakawau Branch Railway, gazetted 1881 pg 1127 (proc 9).

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We are the owners of the above property

Applicant/Proposal Details

Name of Applicant: Hydro Developments Ltd (HDL)

Details of Proposal: To construct, operate and maintain a hydro power scheme on the Stockton Plateau including activities on railway land at Granity as follows:

- Formation of a temporary level crossing over the Stillwater to Ngakawau railway line;
- Formation of a temporary construction yard on railway land at Granity;
- Installation of a temporary jacking station within the Granity construction yard for micro tunneling purposes;
- Installation of an ocean outfall pipeline beneath railway land and the Stillwater to Ngakawau railway line;
- Discharge of up to 9 cumecs of tailwater from the Granity power station into Granity Stream (upstream of the rail bridge) during emergency situations.

Address of Proposal: Stockton Plateau and Granity – as per the plans attached to the draft resource consent application & AEE, dated 26 September 2008.

We confirm that a copy of the draft resource consent application and AEE, including plans (dated 26 September 2008) have been sighted.

We hereby approve to the Buller District Council and West Coast Regional Council the grant of resource consent pursuant to the Resource Management Act 1991.

We understand that by giving approval, the Councils shall not take into account any effects that the proposed activity may have on railway property when considering the application.

Signature: Megan Fenney **MEGAN FENNEY**
SENIOR RMA
ADVISOR **Viewed and approved by**
New Zealand Railways
Corporation.

Dated: 11/11/2008 Signature: Megan Fenney
Date: 11/11/2008