Before a Hearing Panel Appointed by the Selwyn District Council and Canterbury Regional Council

Under

the Resource Management Act 1991 (Act)

And

In the Matter

applications under section 88 of the Act by Bathurst Coal Limited in relation to the completion of mining and closure and rehabilitation of the Canterbury Coal Mine in the Malvern Hills, Canterbury

Memorandum regarding timing of post hearing steps Bathurst Coal Limited

Dated: 29 October 2021

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Introduction

1. Bathurst Coal Limited (**BCL**) proposes the following tentative timetable for post hearing steps with respect to the hearing in relation to the closure and rehabilitation of the Canterbury Coal Mine in the Malvern Hills, Canterbury:

Dates	Steps
Weeks of 1 and 8 November 2021	BCL to develop conferencing agendas and offsetting proposal (with Councils).
Weeks of 15 November and 29 November 2021	 Expert conferencing - AMD treatment and controls, (output to be annotated conditions and TARPs); Expert conferencing - water on monitoring conditions, limits and TARPs (output to be annotated conditions); BCL finalise offsetting updates and consult with Ngāi Tahu and circulate to Council experts.
Week of 6 December 2021	 Expert ecology conferencing (output to be annotated conditions). Expert planning conferencing (output to be annotated conditions and an updated JWS if necessary). Ecology conferencing occur prior to planning conferencing
Week of 13 December 2021	BCL provide conditions (including offsetting/compensation/ enhancement proposal to submitters) (via Environment Canterbury) to consider. BCL respectfully request Commissioners issue minute to submitters providing framework and scope of feedback
20 December 2021- 3 January 2022	RMA working day excluded period
Week of 10 January 2022	Submitters consider conditions supplied by BCL
Week of 17 January 2022	Submitters consider conditions supplied by BCL
24 January 2022	Submitters comments due (limited to feedback on conditions and offsetting/compensation/enhancement proposal)
21 February 2022	BCL reply filed

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