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Concession Application - Waka Kotahi NZ Transport Agency - Works in East Homer Concession Site 52442-OTH for State Highway 94 Homer Tunnel Avalanche & Rockfall Safety

6-DC734.00

To whom it may concern,

On behalf of Waka Kotahi NZ Transport Agency, WSP applies for a concession to construct a new equipment building, associated earthworks for trenching, investigations and reinforcing existing structures, within State Highway 94 (SH94), a concession area and Fiordland National Park at east Homer Tunnel, adjacent to SH94.

The purpose of the proposed new equipment building is to provide appropriate protection for safety and emergency equipment at the Homer Tunnel, in turn reducing potential for rock fall and avalanche risk associated with servicing the power supply in its current location.

Please find enclosed, a concession application for the above activity, including the proposed construction plans, relevant assessments and accidental discovery protocols.

The concession is sought under the Conservation Act 1987. A resource consent has been applied for to Southland District Council for the same activities.

If you require any thing further, please contact me on **Pirvacy** or email **Pirvacy**

Regards **Pirvacy**

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