

## **Crown Pastoral Land Tenure Review**

**Lease name: CAMBRIAN HILLS**

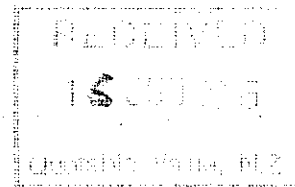
**Lease number: PO 375**

### **Fish & Game Report**

As part of the process of Tenure Review Fish & Game councils may provide advice on significant inherent values within the pastoral lease, and the information may be incorporated in the Conservation Resources Report. The advice is part of the information gathered and assessed for the development of a preliminary consultation document.

The report attached is released under the Official Information Act 1982.

**January 06**



## **Cambrian Hills**

### **Otago Fish & Game Council Resource Report**

#### **Sports Fishery Values:**

The streams on the Cambrian Hills property are of a steep gradient and drain the Saint Bathans Range. Sailors Creek and Shepherds Creek contains numerous small brown trout (*Salmo trutta*). The sports fish have few recreational values but are important in that they are a source of recruitment for the Dunstan Creek and Manuherikia River fisheries. Both New Zealand and overseas anglers hold both these waterways in high regard.

#### **Game Bird Values:**

Anecdotal evidence suggests both Chukor and California Quail inhabit the property. Otago Fish & Game have no information on recreational hunting on this property. Access to the property would be at the discretion of the leaseholder.

#### **Recommendations:**

Sailors Creek and Shepherds Creek should have Section 24 marginal strip protection if it does not already exist.

Access to the property for fishery management purposes should allowed for as part of the negotiation process.

Dated 13 June 2005

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'John Hollows'.

**John Hollows**  
**Environmental Officer**