

Crown Pastoral Land Tenure Review

Lease name: Mt HUTT

Lease number: PC 051

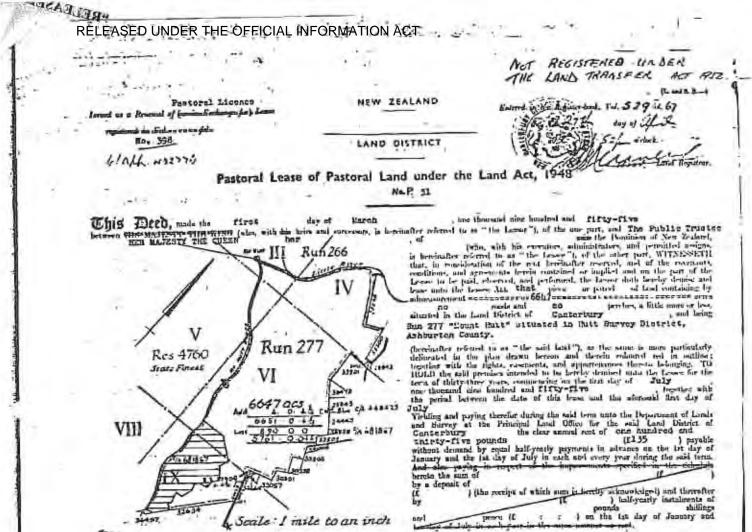
Due Diligence Report (including Status Report) - Part 2

This report and attachments results from a pre-Tenure Review assessment of the pastoral lease for the purpose of confirming land available for Tenure Review and any issues, rights or obligations attaching to it. The information is gathered from files and other sources available to the LINZ contractor.

Part of the information relates to research on the status of the land, resulting in a Status Report that is signed off by a LINZ approving officer. The remainder of the information is not analysed for relevancy or possible action until required, and LINZ does not guarantee its accuracy or completeness as presented.

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

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LAND SETTLEMENT BOARD

SUBMISSION TO COMMISSIONER OF CROWN LANDS

RENEWAL OF PASTORAL LEASE

FILES: H.O. 8/8/74 D.O. P 51

CASE NO. 87/5

CANTERBURY LAND DISTRICT

LESSEES

DOUG HOOD LIMITED (as to a 5/6 share) and KEITH BERNARD HOOD (1/6 share) of Mt Hutt Station.

RUN NAME

Mt Hutt Station.

LAND HELD IN LEASE

Part Run 277 "Mount Hutt" situated in Hutt Survey District. <u>Area</u>: 2331.4053 hectares

LOCATION

On Blackford Road 96 km west of Christchurch.

PARTICULARS OF TENURE

Tenure:

Pastoral Lease

Term:

33 years from 1.7.55

Expires:

30.6.88

\$270.00

Annual Rental:

1750 sheep plus 10%

Stock Limit in the Lease:

Mid September to mid June

Present Stock Limit:

(Approved 17.5.77)

Pastoral Lease:

250 2 year cattle - June and July

9800 sheep

- January and February

3200 hoggets

- September and October

600 сожв

- All year

500 yearlings

- Mid August to Mid October

Awaiting Approval 21.7.86 - Pastoral Lease: (

1000 goats

- 12 months

1000 deer

- 12 months

1500 breeding ewes - 12 months

200 cattle

- 12 months

CROWN IMPROVEMENTS

Nil.

OTHER LAND HELD

804.2 hectares freehold.

PLANS

An illustrative plan of the property is attached.

GENERAL DESCRIPTION

Mount Hutt is a prominent peak overlooking the central Canterbury Plains. The Pastoral Lease comprises the north eastern flank of the mountain and drops over a very short distance from the peak of Mt Hutt at an altitude of 2189 metres a.s.l. to the outwash fans at the foot of the mountain at 495 metres.

Approximately 55% of the lease is very steep Class VIII country with little or no vegetation and no grazing value. Broken patches of Class VII land exist below the bare Class VIII with better covered tussock faces and less steep country below this again, merging into the fans at the toe of the mountain.

The Pastoral Lease on its own would not be an economic proposition but under present management is supported by a large area of adjoining freehold land together with a flatland farm near Ashburton.

LAND USE CAPABILITY

Class	Hectares (approx.)
TII	2
IV	161
VI	628
VII	269
AIII	<u>1271</u>
	2331 hectares

VALUATION

(a) Roll Valuation as at 1.7.85

Value of Improvements	\$127,000
Land Value	481,000
Capital Value	608,000
Trees	3,000

(b) Valuation for renewal as at 30.6.86 by L.M. Whittaker Senior Valuer. Confirmed by A.G. Johnson District Valuer.

Value of Improvements	\$288,000
Land Exclusive of Improvements	130,000
Capital Value	418,000

FIELD REPORT

No special field report has been undertaken for renewal purposes. Updated details taken from a Stock Increase Report dated 3.7.86.

1. Variation to Basic Stock Limitation

No variation is necessary. Lease should be renewed subject to existing stock limit.

2. Boundary Adjustments

Run Plan

A run plan was entered into with the NCCB but this did not proceed because the lessee would not agree to surrender the land identified as unsuitable for grazing. A stalemate has been reached and a decision needs to be made whether the LSB should proceed to resume the land pursuant to Section 117 of the Land Act in terms of Section 14.2 of the "High County Policy".

3. Areas to be Excluded or Protected

This lease falls within the Mt Hutt Ecological District and as yet no PNA Survey has been completed. No areas of ecological importance have yet been identified within the lease boundaries.

LESSEES COMMENTS

The lessees were not interviewed for this report.

GENERAL

The Mt Hutt Pastoral Lease is small and limited in scope for agricultural purposes, but combined with the adjoining 804 hectares of freehold land a strong unit is created.

Mr Doug Hood the major shareholder operates a successful contract earthmoving business completely separate from the property. However during quiet periods in the contracting business his heavy machinery has been used extensively on the leasehold land for development of the fans. Development of the hummocky bouldery fans involved levelling, contouring and burying or carting off the large stones and boulders. A winter feed crop has then been sown followed by permanent pasture. Results have been very good especially in view of the very stony nature of the soils. Most of the cost of this work has been borne by the contracting business and could not have been contemplated by an ordinary farmer because of the high costs.

For over three years the lessees have been permitting a safari company to take paying customers onto the leasehold land to shoot red deer in captivity. In Case No. 82/261 HOC approved the issuing of a Recreation Permit to the safari company subject to the investigation of the possibility of the lessees surrendering the land unsuitable for grazing. As part of this investigation the lessees stated that they may be interested in a Run Plan. This has been investigated but could not be approved because of the lessees refusal to surrender the land. A stalemate developed over the issue of the Recreation Permit because of the lessees reluctance to surrender. Recent field reports recommend the issue of the permit to end the deadlocked position between the lessees and this department.

Land Settlement Board High County Policy, Section 14.2 states "... in those cases where the lessee is not prepared to negotiate surrender, the board will recommend resumption of the areas in question in terms of Section 117 Land Act 1948". Section 117 of the Act permits the resumption of land for any "public purpose". No public purpose has been identified on the land to be surrendered, merely that the land is deemed "unsuitable for grazing".

Any action to pursue surrender in terms of Section 117 Land Act 1948 should not hold up the lease renewal process and the lease should be renewed in total pending resolution of this issue.

DFO's COMMENTS

Renewal action should take place regardless of other action which is pending.

I do not believe this department can consistently permit LSB policy to be ignored and there must be insistence on surrender of the non sustainable grazing land in order for the recreation permit to issue. It would be logical for this to occur about the same time as lease renewal.

CPLO'B COMMENTS

The lessees are entitled to have the renewal valuations by the end of 1986, and I therefore agree with the DFO's comments. The issue of land unsuitable for grazing clearly needs to be resolved. If the department as opposed to NCCB or anyone else, is satisfied that there are significant areas of land unsuitable for grazing, then in line with LSB policy, we should be pursuing surrender. This would seem to be particularly relevant on Mount Hutt where a run plan has been prepared and a recreation permit applied for but both appear to have been stalemated because of the requirement to surrender land unsuitable for grazing. As well it appears as though deer have been farmed and commercial recreation occurs on the pastoral lease without official sanction.

I believe the attempt to use Section 117 will be a significant test case. Its application is not clear cut, but I believe a public purpose can be identified in requiring the surrender of land unsuitable for grazing, and refer you to the attached exerpts of correspondence between Head Office and District Solicitor Mouat.

CHIEF SURVEYOR'S COMMENTS

A new plan will have to be compiled to define the existing run. The eastern and southwestern boundaries have been defined but the balance of the western boundary together with the northern boundary can only be defined (and not in total) from an existing 1 in. to the mile photogrammetric plot (S.74). As identified in the recommendations Section 58 should be brought down on lease at renewal.

If high country is retired, survey may be required to define the retirement boundary this could be achieved before renewal if a decision were forthcoming before say September 1987.

RECOMMENDATIONS

- That pursuant to Section 131 of the Land Act 1948 the values for renewal purposes subject to any adjustments that may be required resulting from Recommendation 3 below be fixed as follows:
 - (a) Value of Improvements \$288,000
 - (b) Value of Improvements included in Rental Value Nil (c) Value of Land Exclusive of Improvements \$130,000
- That the lease be renewed pursuant to Section 66 of the Land Act 1948 on the following conditions:
 - (a) The annual rent for the first eleven years of the new lease based on 1.5% of the value of 1(c) above be fixed at \$1,950.00, the rental after the initial period to be $2\frac{1}{4}\%$ (less one ninth rebate) of the then land exclusive of improvements and lease to be subject to eleven yearly rent reviews.
 - (b) The stock limit to be shown in the lease document be set as follows:

1750 sheep plus 10% (Mid September to mid June)

That the Crown retain the right to apply the provisions of Section 58 Land Act 1948 in respect of all rivers and streams in excess of 3 metres in width traversing or forming the boundary of the lease, subject to legal confirmation in that regard.

That steps be taken to resume the land identified as being "unsuitable for grazing" in terms of Section 117 Land Act 1948 on the basis that this action proceed independently of renewal action.

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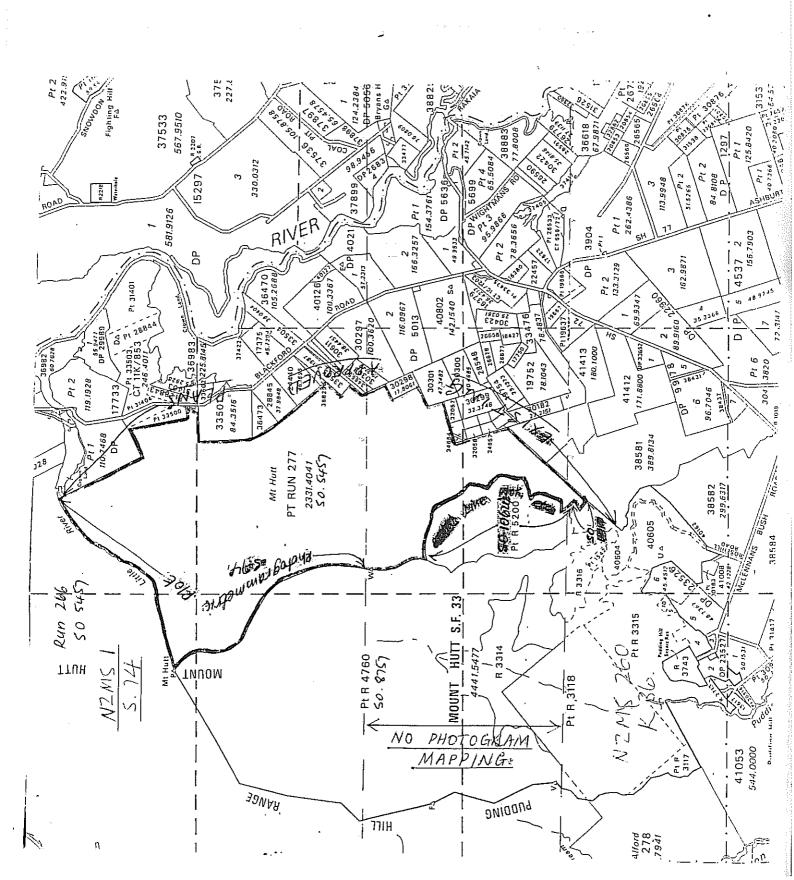
Commissioner of Crown Lands

18/12/86

Prepared by: Checked by:

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John S Kirk

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Our ref: P51

5 March 1990



District Land Registrar Lands and Deeds Private Bag Christchurch

Attention: S A McLeod

Dear Mr McLeod

DEALING 853389 - REGISTRATION OF RENEWAL OF PASTORAL LEASE

This dealing lodged on 30 January 1990 was rejected as it was your opinion that Deed 686366/1 had expired. A new Pastoral Agreement between the Crown and this Corporation has now been registered. This Agreement was registered on 19 February 1990 as Document No. 856748/1.

Consequently this dealing is now relodged using this new document number.

Yours faithfully

Diane Fitžharding-Jones

Property Officer

INCORPORATING LANDCORP INVESTMENTS LIMITED & LANDCORP MANAGEMENT SERVICES LIMITED

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IN THE MATTER

of the Land Transfer Act 1952 and the Land Act 1948

AND

IN THE MATTER

of Pastoral Lease P51 registered in Volume 6A, folio 1344, Canterbury Land Registry, from HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN to DOUG HOOD LIMITED, at Ashburton (as to a 5/6th share), and KEITH BERNARD HOOD of Ashburton, Farmer (as to a 1/6th share), as Tenants in common in the said shares.

Pursuant to Section 170 of the Land Act 1948 the term of the above-mentioned lease registered in Volume 6A, folio 1344, Canterbury Land Registry, is renewed for a term of 33 years commencing on the 1st day of July 1988. Covenant to pay rent and the Rental Value contained in the lease is hereby varied by deleting the said covenant and substituting the following:-

Yielding and paying therefore for the first 11 years of the said term unto Land Corporation Limited at Christchurch, the annual rent of \$1,950.00 (exclusive of GST) calculated on a Rental Value of \$130,000.00, payable without demand by equal half-yearly payments in advance on the 1st day of January and the 1st day of July in each and every year during the said period of 11 years, and for the next two successive periods of 11 years of the said term a rent determined in respect of each of those periods in the manner provided in Section 132A of the Land Act 1948.

Save as hereby expressly varied all the covenants conditions and restrictions contained or implied in the said Memorandum of Lease shall remain in full

IN WITNESS WHEREOF the parties have hereunto subscribed their name this 5th day of 1989. DECEMBER

SIGNED for and on behalf of HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN pursuant) to a Deed lodged with the District)
Land Registrar as No. (1865) by) LAND CORPORATION LIMITED by its Attorney DIANE FITZHARDING-JONES in the presence of;

LAND CORPORATION LIMITED by its.

Attorney

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Solicitor for the Lessee

CERTIFICATE OF NON-REVOCATION OF POWER OF ATTORNEY

O, DIANE FITZHARDING-JONES of Christchurch, Property Officer
HEREBY CERTIFY -

 THAT by Deed dated the 12th day of June 1987 copies of which are deposited in the Land Registry Offices at -

AUCKLAND (North Auckland Registry) and there numbered B678573
BLENHEIM (Marlborough Registry) and there numbered 136439
CHRISTCHURCH (Canterbury Registry) and there numbered 686366/2
DUNEDIN (Otago Registry) and there numbered 681189/1
GISBORNE (Poverty Bay Registry) and there numbered 167089.2
HAMILTON (South Auckland Registry) and there numbered H734777
HOKITIKA (Westland Registry) and there numbered 076748
INVERCARGILL (Southland Registry) and there numbered 141782
NAPIER (Hawkes Bay Registry) and there numbered 478751.2
NELSON (Nelson Registry) and there numbered 341775
WELLINGTON (Wellington Registry) and there numbered 360782.2

<u>LAND CORPORATION LIMITED</u> at Wellington carrying on the business of land management appointed me its Attorney on the terms and subject to the conditions set out in the said Deed.

- THAT at the date hereof I was Property Officer of the said Corporation.
- THAT at the date hereof I have not received any notice or information
 of the revocation of that appointment by the winding up or
 dissolution of the said <u>LAND CORPORATION LIMITED</u> or otherwise.

SIGNED at Christchurch this 5th day of DECEMBER 19

In That Jours

MEMORANDUM OF RENEWAL

HER MAJESTY THE QUEEN

Lessor

DOUG HOOD LIMITED

Lessee

KEITH BERNARD HOOD

Lessee

Particulars entered in the Register on

Date and at the time recorded below LAND REGISTRAN

District Assistant Land Registrar

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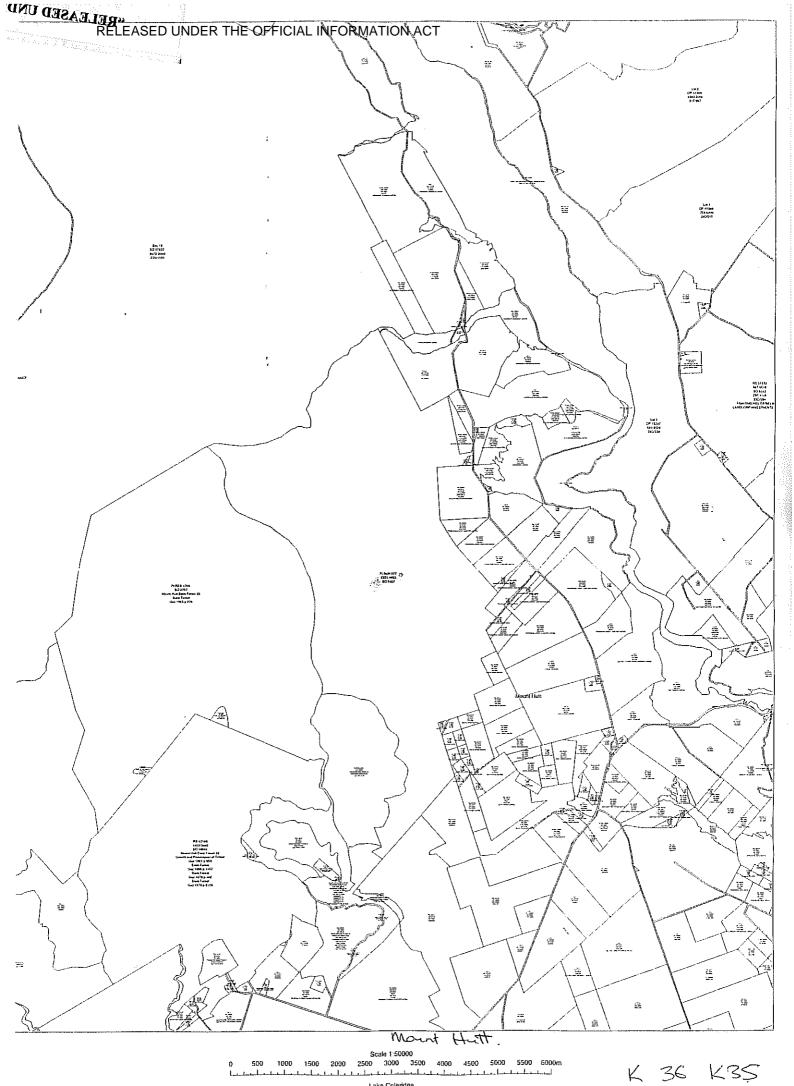
84. Powers of Board with respect to private lands——In further addition to the powers conferred by section 82 hereof the Board may construct tunnels under any private land, or aqueducts or flumes over the same, and may erect poles thereon, and carry wires over or along any such land without being bound to acquire the same with right of way by the best available route to and along all such works and erections for the Board's servants, workmen, and agents, from time to time and at all times, with or without any suitable or available means of conveyance, and with all such tools, machinery, articles, and materials as may be necessary for the construction of such works or for the maintenance or repairing of the same or for the doing of anything hereby authorised; and may also deposit and store from time to time upon any lands adjoining such works all such machinery and material of any kind as may be used in the construction or repairing of such works:

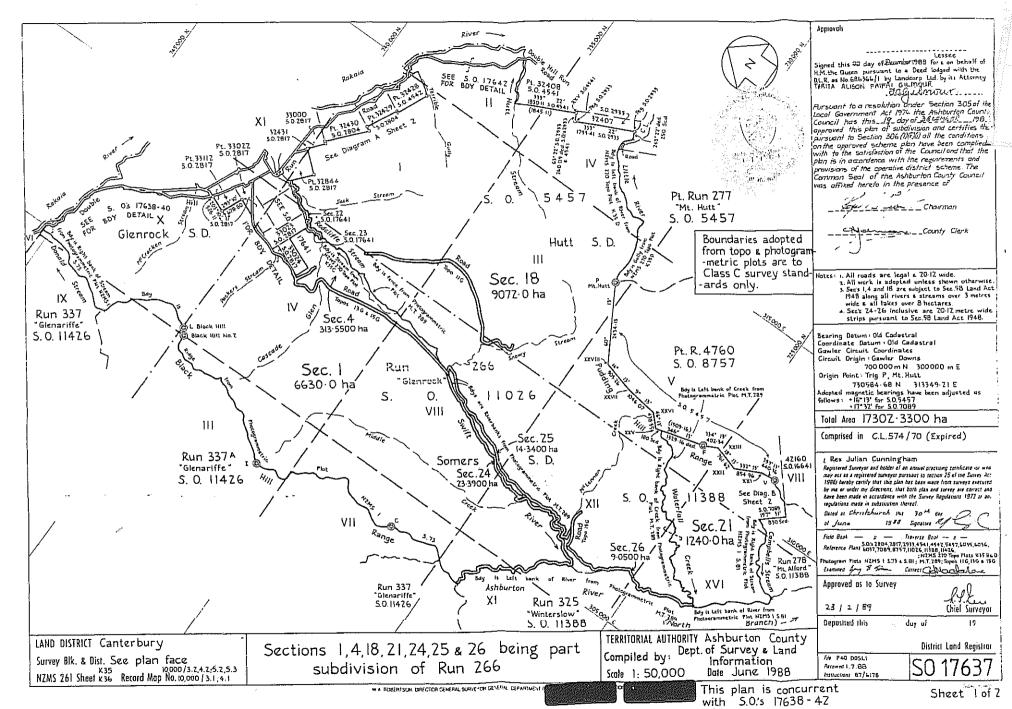
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Cf. 1922, No. 26, s. 17

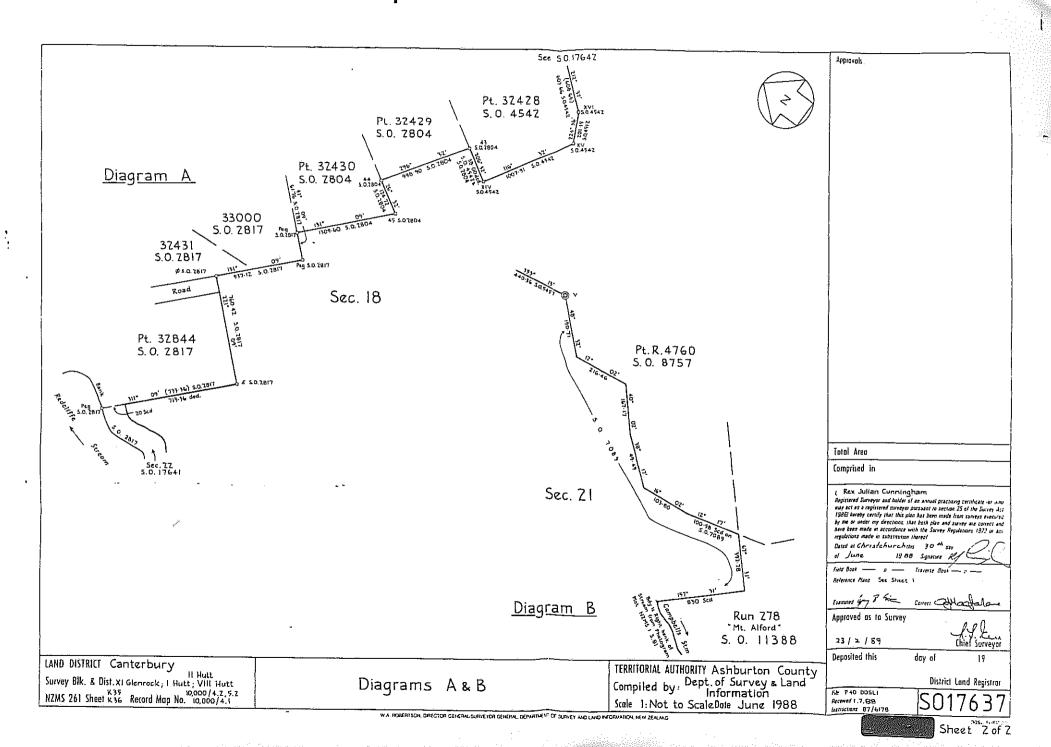
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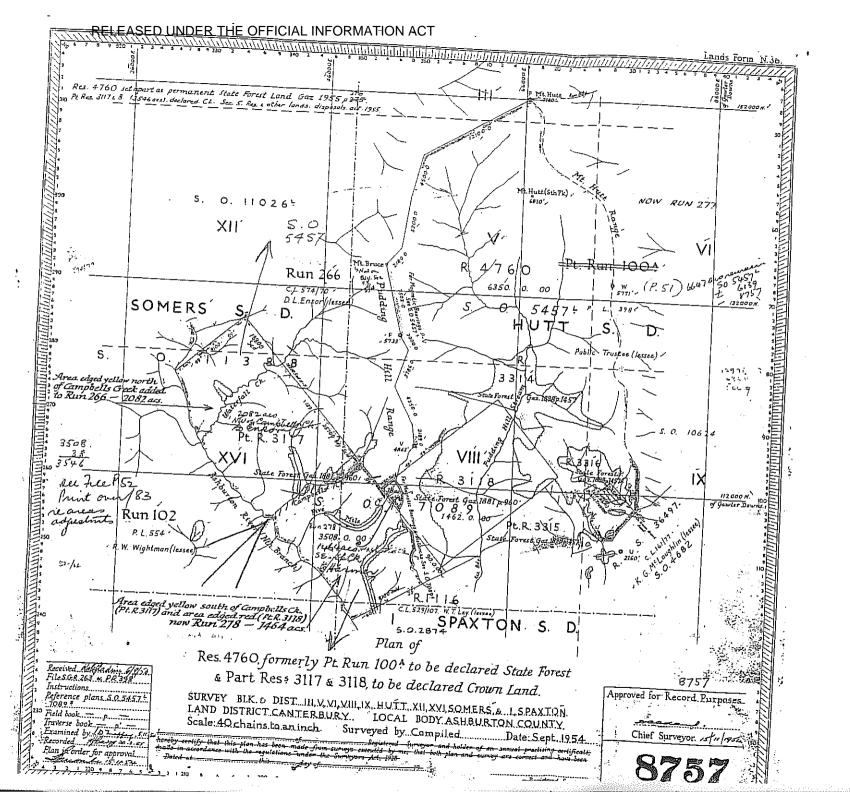
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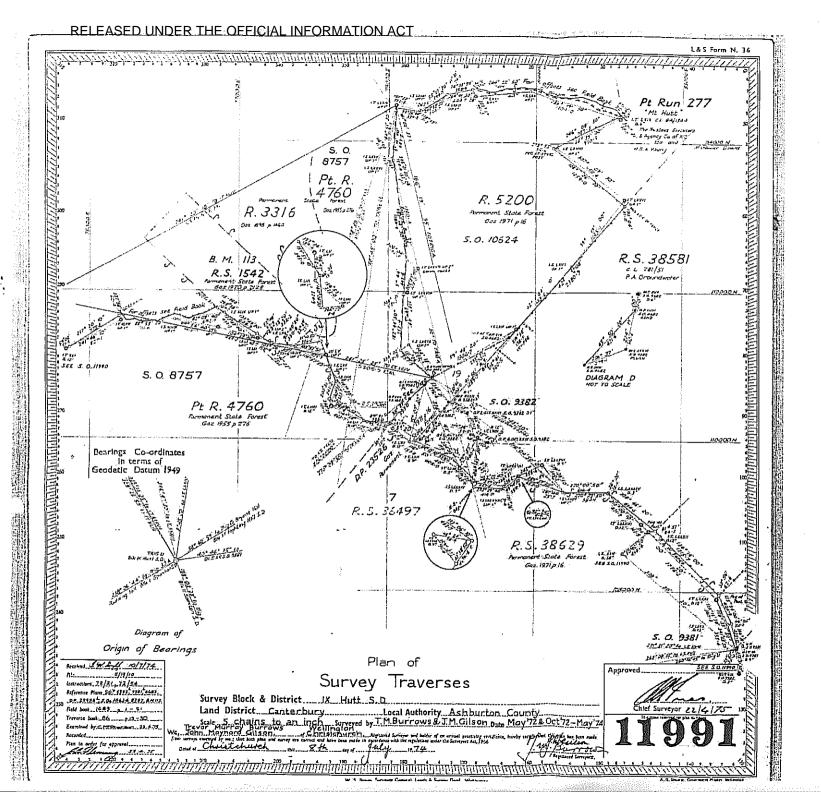


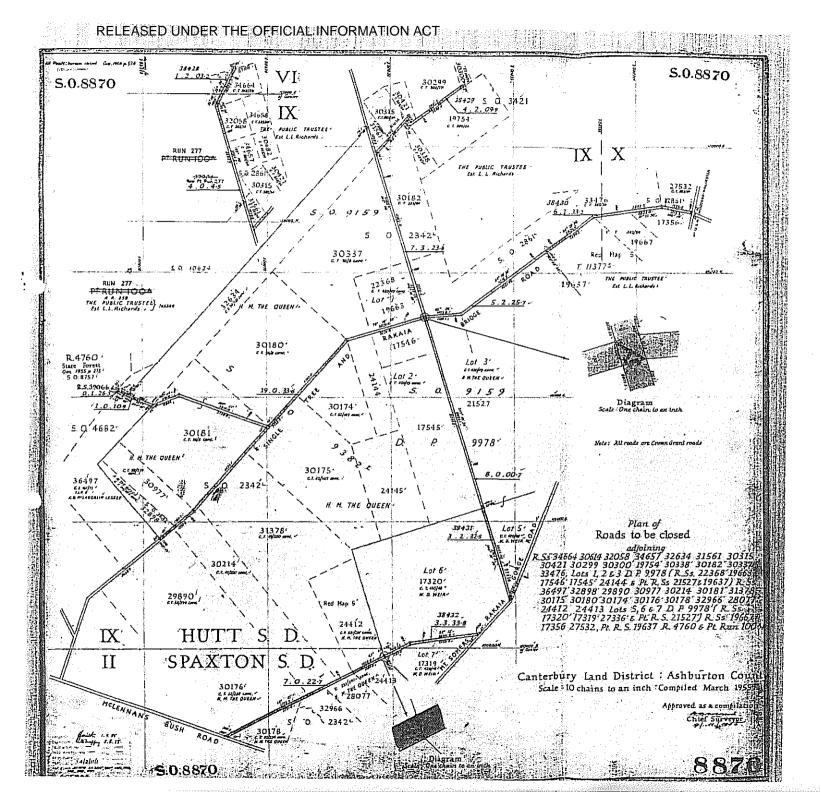


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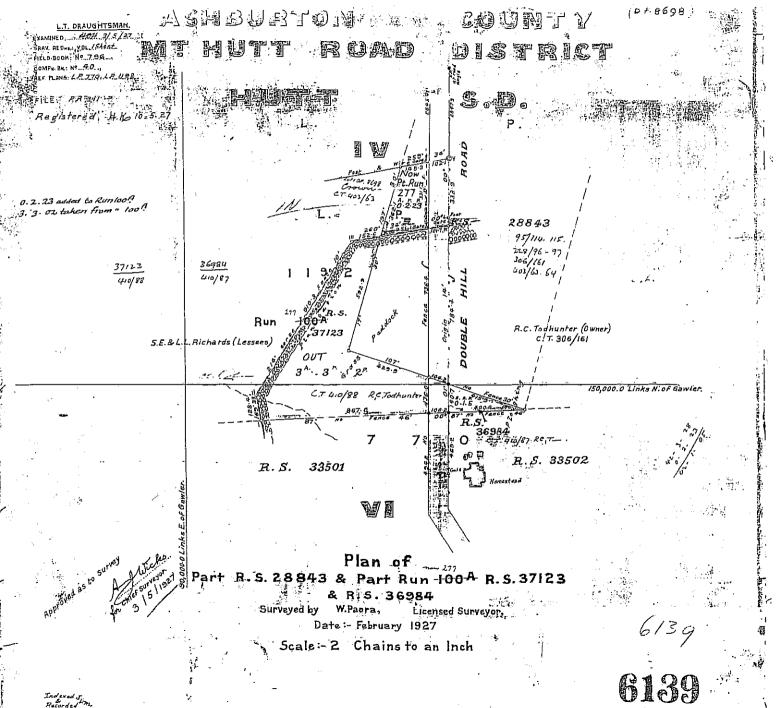












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Mining maps sighted	
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MT HUTT

PASTORAL RUN INDEX SEARCH

- 1) Survey Plan Index (to 1987)
 Run 277 50's 5457, 6139, 8757, 8870, 10624
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- 2) Pastoral Run Register (to 1987)

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P4 Rm 100A - 3000 acs - SE MacDonald & DL Ensor

Remarks:

Pt Run 100A - 3000 acs (now in Run 266)

Pt " - 6350 acs (now R 4760 - State Forest)

But Run 100A - 6647 acs (now Run 277)

RS 37904 - 4-0-04.5 acs (now Run 277)

Don McGregor LINZ Accredited Agent

McGregor Property Services

6 Cumberland Place KAIAPOI

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11 October 2001



Property Manager Opus International Consultants Limited P.O. Box 1913 DUNEDIN

Attention: John Kirk

File:

Dear Sir

PASTORAL LEASE STATUS CHECKS - CONTRACT 50269 (as yet undated) - CANTERBURY PROPERTIES

Further to the information package sent to you earlier for the five properties.

Attached are the responses from DOC on the remaining three properties. I assume that you are resolving the plan issues direct with Brent McFadden.

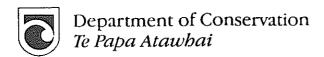
I will invoice Bill Ross direct for the work I have undertaken on your behalf.

Yours faithfully

Don Ma Gregor
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Our ref: PAR 019, PTR 034 PTR 076

11 October 2001

Don McGregor McGregor Property Services 6 Cumberland Place Kaiapoi

Dear Don

PASTORAL LEASE STATUS CHECK - SNOWDALE, MT OAKDEN, AND MT HUTT

I refer to your letter of 14 September 2001.

I have checked the Department of Conservation's land records. The only areas of public conservation estate within the boundaries are potential marginal strips. I have commented on these below. Conservation Estate does adjoin the properties and is listed below:

SNOWDALE

L34/29 - Oxford Conservation Area - held pursuant to Section 62 Conservation Act 1987 (deemed to be stewardship area).

L34/11 - Whistler Riverbed - held pursuant to Section 62 Conservation Act 1987 (deemed to be stewardship area).

As both these areas sit outside the pastoral lease boundary, I have not made any enquiries regarding any concessions.

MT OAKDEN

K34/24 - Wilberforce Riverbed Conservation Land - held pursuant to Section 62 Conservation Act 1987 (deemed to be stewardship area).

As this area sits outside the pastoral lease boundary, I have not made any enquiries regarding any concessions.

MT HUTT

K35/45 - Mr Hutt Forest - held pursuant to Section 62 Conservation Act 1987 (deemed to be stewardship area).

As this area sits outside the pastoral lease boundary, I have not made any enquiries regarding any concessions.

In addition to this parcel, an area to the immediate north shows up as being under investigation for addition to the public conservation estate. This shows in our system as being the Glenrock retirement area. As it sits outside the Mt Hutt lease, I have not made any further enquiries. It is presumably an area surrendered from an adjoining Pastoral Lease, where Gazette action has not been finalised.

Canterbury Conservancy

With respect to marginal strips, both Snowdale and Mt Oakden were renewed on 1.7.1990, so should be subject to the marginal strip provisions contained in Part IVA of the Conservation Act 1987.

Mt Hutt was renewed in 1988, so there will be no Conservation Act marginal strips in place, and I cannot see a Section 58 memorial on the title, although the renewal certificate may make mention of reserving land from sale. As you know, the legality of Section 58 strips not identified on survey plans is in doubt.

It is practically impossible to identify with any certainty whether a marginal strip is in place if it is not shown on a survey plan. Some marginal strips are shown on the DOC allocation maps, and others are not. If there is no marginal strip shown on our allocation records, I have not identified them. Snowdale and Mt Oakden appear to be subject to Marginal Strips under the Conservation Act 1987, but none are noted on any survey plan, or on the title.

If there are any marginal strips in existence, there will be no concessions granted over them, save for a small number of generic concessions covering the majority of the public conservation land in the conservancy.

Yours faithfully

Robert Cant
Statutory Land Management Officer (Community Relations)
For Conservator, Canterbury
Email: Reant@doc.govt.nz

6 September 2001

Conservator
Department of Conservation
Private Bag 4715
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ATTENTION: Robert Cant

Dear Sir

PASTORAL LEASE STATUS CHECKS

I have been requested to undertake a number of Land Status Reports on behalf of Opus International Consultants Limited for the purpose of the Pastoral Lease Tenure Review.

I have a number of leases within your Conservancy (all in the Canterbury Land District) to deal with and am operating under reasonably strict deadlines to complete the process in the following priority order.

- 1) Upper Lake Heron
- 2) Cora Lynn
- 3) Glenhope
- 4) Glenfalloch
- 5) Clent Hills

Attached are cadastral and topo plans of these properties as well as current copies of registered leases.

Can you please identify/ascertain the conservation area status of any land included within the peripheral boundary of each of the respective properties and provide details (including plans if appropriate) of any current concessions and any other known interests. The plans provided with the batches of properties dealt with last year were most helpful and it would be appreciated if they could be provided again.

The most urgent of the above at this stage are (1 and 2) above and to fulfil my deadline of the end of this month I would need to have your response by 14 September with the remaining properties (3-5) by 28 September. I would be most grateful if you were able to accommodate this request.

In addition I have a programme involving the following properties and will progressively be forwarding the supporting plans and titles for your consideration (once again in priority order):

- 6) Island Hills
- 7) Eskhead
- 8) Lake Sumner

There is a deadline for (6 - 8) above for 6 October and therefore your response would be required for those by 22 September. I will get the plans and title copies to you at the earliest possible date so you have as much time as possible.

The requirements for the remaining properties are a little more relaxed but it would still be appreciated if your responses on (9-14) could be available progressively before the end of October in the following priority groupings and for (15-21) by 14 November.

- 9) Mt Hutt
- 10) Snowdale
- 11) Mt Oakden
- 12) Grays Hills
- 13) Ben McLeod
- 14) Wairua Downs
- 15) Rata Peaks
- 16) Waitangi
- 17) HunterHills
- 18) Bauchops Hill
- 19) Airies
- 20) Bush Spurs
- 21) Mt Potts

Thank you. Please advise if there are likely to be any difficulties in meeting these deadlines.

Yours faithfully

Don McGregor
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