Min & Terry Byrnes of 99 Rugby Road, Dalton, 2581 (approx. 2km from the proposed sight of the power station)

## We, and our family OBJECT to the DALTON POWER PROJECT

Main concerns and reasons for objection:

- Due to the topography of the surrounding area, our property (and many others) are in a natural hollow, with fog sitting low on the land and surrounding areas for long periods in the morning. Thus we are concerned that toxins and chemicals emitted from the power station may be trapped within the hollow, potentially threatening our own and our stock's health.
- Having bought this property with the intention of being a place for family to stay, it is a huge concern that this plant will not only effect our own health, but the health of our grandchildren, family and loved ones.
- Added stress caused for farmers and inhabitants of the areas, with increased worries and concerns regarding heath, water table issues and their livelihoods. Thus detrimental effects for the mental health of locals.
- Local community would be affected with locals leaving town to preserve their family's health.
- Concerns regarding the potential effect that the power plant will have on the underground water table, as we rely on bore water for stock and domestic uses.
- Devaluation of our land. Unlike ourselves, who weren't aware of the possibility of the power plant and were happy and excited to buy land in such a uniquely beautiful, undisturbed natural area new potential buyers will see the power station as a negative aspect to the area, thus considerably decreasing the value of not only our land, but surrounding properties.

These concerns are not to be ignored and it is to be noted that we REJECT the extension of the approval for the Dalton Power Project. The otherwise undisturbed, natural, and beautiful township of Dalton will in no way benefit from this project. Our health - both physical and mental - are at stake, as well as the health of stock, our water supply, the environment and our livelihood.