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**Application No: N015-002
Consent No:203375**

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Coastal Permit

Pursuant to Section 104B of the Resource Management Act 1991, a resource consent is hereby granted by the Southland Regional Council (the "Council") to **New Zealand Aluminium Smelter Ltd** (the "consent holder") of **Private Bag 90110, Invercargill** from **6 June 2006**.

Please read this Consent carefully, and ensure that any staff or contractors carrying out activities under this Consent on your behalf are aware of all the conditions of the Consent.

Details of Permit

Purpose for which permit is granted:	(i) To occupy the foreshore and seabed with an untreated effluent discharge pipe and diffuser; and (ii) To maintain and change the treated effluent discharge pipe and diffuser, including to disturb the seabed
Location	- site locality Foveaux Strait at Tiwai Point - map reference E47:578-909 and E47:580-912 - receiving environment Foveaux Strait, coastal marine area
Legal description of land at the site:	Foreshore and seabed
Expiry date:	6 June 2031

Schedule of Conditions

1. This consent is granted for a period of 25 years.
(Note: Pursuant to Sections 123 and 124 of the Resource Management Act 1991, a new consent may be required at the expiration of this consent. The application will be considered in accordance with the plans in effect at that time, and the adverse effects of the proposed activity).
2. The consent holder shall ensure that the pipelines are buried between the mean high water springs and the lowest water level.

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3. This consent authorises maintenance of the pipe and diffuser, including replacement of the pipe if required. In the event that any part of the pipe and diffuser must be replaced, the consent holder shall notify the Council's Compliance Manager five working days before commencing the work.
4. The consent holder shall at all times during the continuance of the consent maintain the structure in good repair, appearance and condition. No alteration or addition to the structure is permitted without prior written approval of Council.
5. Neither the issuing of this consent nor anything contained in it shall affect the liability of the consent holder for any injury caused by the structure to any vessel, boat or person through any default or neglect of the consent holder.
6. Any authorised officer of the Council may, at all reasonable times, enter upon the structure and view its state of repair. The consent holder shall, upon receipt of written notice of any defect or want of repair from the Council, cause the defect to be removed or the repairs to be made within a reasonable time.
7. The consent holder shall pay the Council on behalf of the Crown, any sum of money required to be paid by any regulation made under Section 360(1)(c) of the Act. The sum of money is payable, on invoice, on the first day of July each year, provided that payment shall not be required once the consent holder has stopped discharging from the pipe.
8. The consent holder shall pay an administration charge to the Southland Regional Council, as set by Special Order under the Act, in advance, payable on the 1st day of July each year.
9. The location of the outfall is to be marked by a buoy.

for the **Southland Regional Council**

W J Tuckey
Director of Environmental Management