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North Canterbury

5<sup>th</sup> February 2010

**Re: Employment**

I would like to apply for a position within your company as a trainee miner and have recently completed a surface extraction course in Reefton. Adding to this training I also did unit standard 7146 in Greymouth at the mines rescue.

My desire to find full time employment is strong, which is why my partner and I agreed that I would leave the family in Christchurch and do the training in Reefton. We felt that this would highlight my commitment and give me the best chance of finding employment in the mining industry. My first choice would be to work in underground mining although I would be happy to consider anything in this industry.

I have experienced periods of unemployment, which you will see in my CV however I am asking you to give me the opportunity to provide for my family independent of State assistance.

I have a job that started on the 28<sup>th</sup> of July 2009 for a period of twelve months working for a place called P.E.E.E.P Trust (Project Employment Environmental Enhancement Programme). I am going to be working at this company as a volunteer as I am keen and wanting to work

Thank you for taking the time to read my Curriculum Vitae

Yours Faithfully

David Riddell