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Mr Mehmet Torun Maden Muhendisleri Odasi Selanik Cad. Yesim Apt. No: 19/4 Ankara Turkey

Dear Mehmet Torun,

I would like to thank you for your kind and considerate letter. I have passed on your condolence message to Pike River Coal Mine Association.

The mine tragedy at Pike River was a national tragedy, and for the small town of Greymouth the loss continues to be felt in every home. We very much appreciated your heartfelt sympathies and offers of support to the 29 men killed and their families. Thank you

Yours sincerely,

Andrea Smith Ambassador