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## **Australian Beef Group, Coonamble NSW, made the following submission on the project:**

### **[Narrabri Gas Project](#)**

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#### **Objects to this project**

On behalf of Australian Beef Group:

As an Australian exporter and supplier of beef products on the domestic market, the Narrabri gas project and all other projects run by Santos in the NSW region present huge problems to not only Australian Beef Group; but all producers of food within the reach of the Great Artesian Basin. Given the price differential between Australian production and the costs of our international competitors; our greatest asset is the clean Australian image. This image has been formed over millions of years; and will be a mere memory if Santos are granted approval. With American experience showing the devastating effect of this technology upon the environment, it is utterly devastating that the Australian government - on multiple levels - has entertained this idea for such a lengthy time.

We oppose this project with full force, as it completely disregards our social license to operate. This is both on a legal and ethical stance point. Our suppliers will be affected; our partners will be affected; but ultimately it will be Australian consumers who are affected due to a potentially tarnished production system.