As I'm having big frustrating problems, and your site will not accept my email address as valid after trying to create an account, I wish to make a submission on Dendrobium mining expansion in the Greater Sydney water catchment Special Areas.

I object to this short sighted mining plan as it is most likely to cause problems to our drinking water catchment when we are in the midst of a drought. With climate chaos upon us it is not sensible to put any further strain on our struggling environment.

The temperate highland peat swamps are, as you would be aware, endangered ecological communities that are spongelike and filter water to provide pure drinking water.

Longwall mining and open cut mining must not be allowed in these vital areas. The risk of damage to clean water supplies is too great.

Yours faithfully Keelah Lam 36 Lauderdale Ave Fairlight 2094