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The Premier Mr. Barry O'Farrell, MP Level 40 Governor Macquarie Tower 1 Farrer Place SYDNEY N.S.W. 2000

Dear Mr. O'Farrell,

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Re- COBBORA COAL MINE

I object to this Mine, because:

- 1. The Government will lock taxpayers into funding a polluting coal mine that will cost billions \$ in subsidies.
- 2. It is bad for the environment dirty coal + adding many million tonnes more of CO2 emissions and greenhouse gases.
- 3. Before the State Election, in 2011. Treasurer Mike Baird stated, " There are very significant risks and costs being imposed on the whole of N.S.W through the Cobbora development "

What has changed since Mike Baird made his comments sounding the alarm on this Cobbora project ?

- 4. This project is in direct conflict with State & Federal policy to reduce climate change impacts.
- 5. Destroys the environment and land of high conservation and agricultural value, including woodland habitat for many threatened & endangered species, aboriginal heritage sites and the impact on groundwater and surface water sources.
- 6. Towns and properties along the coal chain will be affected by additional noise, dust, air pollution from increased coal train movements.
- 7. It locks N.S.W into a heavily subsidised coal fired future, instead of renewable energy.

DEMOCRACY = By the people, for the people. Well, the people in the Central West say NO to this project.

I voted for the O'Farrell Government, believing it was Trustworthy and honest, and would listen to the people of N.S.W.

Yours faithfully / etc.) along et Robin A. Salenger