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Dear Sir/Madam

Re: FLYERS CREEK WIND FARM MP08-0252

We are aware of the proposal to construct up to 44 wind turbines in the Flyers Creek area, about 20 km from Orange, NSW.

We strongly object to this proposal due to a number of reasons, they are:

- Negative impact to the health of those who live close to the turbines. There is substantial evidence that supports this and unless an independent study can give a 100% guarantee that there are no health effects due to turbines it should not be contemplated to put turbines anywhere near homes, schools or work places.
- Further damage to country roads that are already in poor repair.
- Noise pollution both audible and infrasound
- Visual pollution exacerbated by the number and size of the turbines
- Lack of community consultation and transparency
- Devaluation of land and property
- Danger to low flying aircraft
- Shadow flicker
- Division within the community

Australia is a country that in reality does not need wind turbines. If the government took the bold step towards solar generated power, which has very little if no impact to humans and environment, (but will have a negative financial impact on power companies) the residential power needs of Australia will be provided for.

If turbines are still needed why ever not choose an area within Australia where there are no homes, it's a vast land and plenty of areas like this.

The map submitted to your department **does not** accurately show the number of homes within the turbine area, ours is not marked along with 6 other neighbours of ours, as well as plenty of other homes within the area. Be aware there is a large number of people living within a 10km radius of the development.

There is a school within 2 km of the development, it is unbelievable that you could allow a development to go ahead that could effect the health of those children.

We therefore petition the Department of Planning and Infrastructure to disallow this proposal and look forward to your Department's favourable consideration of this submission.

Yours sincerely

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