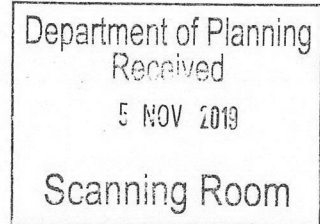




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Submission re Snowy 2 – Main Works¹

Dear Mr Ko,

I would have thought that placing the overburden (or is it called underburden, when it comes from underground?) into Talbingo Reservoir is a bad idea – doesn't that get in the way of discharging the 'battery'? The less water that Talbingo can store, the less room there is to accept new water from Tantangara when electricity is generated.

(But perhaps the volume of overburden, though large, is trivial in comparison to the volume of Talbingo Reservoir, in which case the next question should be asked: will the overburden be clean enough for the reservoir?)

In relation to every other issue, I refer you to the submission by the National Parks Association of NSW.

Yours sincerely,

Andrew Lenart

¹ The online submission page invited me to login or to create an account – so that was useless.

I have not made any political donations that would need to be disclosed here.