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This is a submission to the Hume Coal Project SSD 7172

I object to this project and recommend that it be rejected.

As a resident of the Southern Highlands since 1970 I would like to state my concerns for the proposed Hume Coal Project. The Southern Highlands is an area with increasing tourism which employs many people throughout the district in hospitality, e.g. accommodation, wedding venues and vineyards. Agriculture provides food for said venues and the many restaurants. All depend upon the supply of clean water, what guarantees can be given that pollution of local rivers and streams won't occur or pollution of the aquifers. There are many elderly people living in the Highlands coal dust can be a potential threat to human health to the young and old.

I ask the Government to reject this project

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