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Attn: Executive Director, Resource Assessments
Department of Planning and Environment
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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.

Our property lies about 3 kilometres to the North of the proposed coal stockpiles East of Mackay Road. How this will affect us. Our property is 90 hectares - about 3/4 is subject to a Conservation Agreement. All but about 5 hectares is unsplittable bush; the Warrumbungle rainforest. Native flora and fauna is abundant. The impact of coal dust. Wallabies, kangaroos, wombats graze on native grasses and bushes which will be coated by coal dust; koalas lick moisture from gum leaves and drink rain water; this too will be polluted. Birds suffer too. Who benefits? Not the local residents, nor the local business. For instance he would send his children to boarding school in the Southern Highlands because of the coal pollution? Tourism will suffer; people may also leave the area - an option available to the bulk of the local human prices will fall. Paradise Lost.

I ask the Government to reject this project

Signed,

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