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This is a submission to the Hume Coal Project EIS. SSD7172

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

- 1) TO PUT AT RISK OUR MOST VITAL & FRAGILE RESOURCE — UNDERGROUND WATER — IS A NONSENSE.
- 2) NOTHING REMOTELY SENSIBLE HAS BEEN INDICATED BY HUME COAL AS TO HOW THIS UNIQUE AQUIFER IS TO BE PROTECTED. THIS DETAIL WAS NOT SUPPORTED BY RELEVANT DATA.
- 3) HUME COAL CANNOT IMAGINE THEY CAN "MAKE GOOD" ANY LOSS OF UNDERGROUND WATER. THIS DISCUSSION WAS NEITHER PRACTICAL OR BELIEVABLE.
- 4) LASTLY, IT BEGARS BELIEF, WHY YOU WOULD RISK OUR PRECIOUS ENVIRONMENT FOR WHAT GAIN?

I ask the Government to reject this project

Signed,

VMcDonald

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