

I would like to congratulate government on taking the first important step to protect our water from destructive unconventional gas mining, including coal seam gas.

However, it is vital that the new legislation go before the senate immediately. Living in a rich food producing area I am only too aware of the absolute necessity to have an abundant source of good quality water. Unconventional gas mining threatens this.

I am also very aware of the reluctance of our state government to provide vital protection. We need these powers in federal hands.

Please act now.

Kind regards  
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