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Submission to the Senate Inquiry into Native Vegetation Laws and Legislated Greenhouse Gas Abatement measures on Landholders.

Thank you for allowing us to make a submission to the Senate inquiry into the impact of native vegetation climate changes, to allow sustainable implementation of Farm lands in planning processes that continues the vitality of Regional Australia.

Having to be custodians of our land, paying shire rates, control and removal of feral animals, controlling weeds (classed as obnoxious) and having to attend classes to obtain a chemical license to be able to buy chemical from retailers to kill weeds.

We need the right to control our land to keep it viable for future generations. Primary Production is still a very important commodity, grain, lambs, wool plus other primary productions are needed to maintain our balance of trade.

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