After many hours spent in days searching in the Pingelly district and Dryandra woodland for the Numbat I finally saw one. What a beautiful animal, it looked surprisingly small and vulnerable. Local people I spoke to told me I was lucky as they had never seen one. If the government doesn't act soon to protect our endangered species we will all be denied my wonderful experience.

I urge you to act in accordance with the law that states that each entity included in the register of subspecies, species and ecological communities that are threatened with extinction should have a detailed recovery plan written for it which when implemented should save it from extinction. The most important factor is the implementation of the plan as this is what will save the Numbat and other threatened species.

Yours sincerely,

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