Dear Sir/Madam,

This is a submission to the Select Committee on Australia's Food Processing Sector.

This is to ask that the Committee obtain the potable standards from the Sydney Water Desalination Plant re boron; an assessment of which could provide the minimum allowable impact level of boron. Boron is known to be detrimental to food production.

I am currently unable to ascertain what level of boron is going to be in the water provided by the Victorian Desalination Plant.

I am hoping this matter can be pursued by the committee as I am very concerned about what could happen to local food production.

Your faithfully, Sue Saliba