

To whom it may concern

I express my opposition to the continuation of the northern Territory intervention by the federal government against the aboriginal peoples of our land.

The intervention is Racist in its intent, purpose and application. It is a national disgrace and contrary to the United Nations charter. It is an act of war and genocide against a people.

The attack on Land Rights for the indigenous people goes to the heart of self-determination.

The failure to teach in the native languages of the region is cultural genocide.

The Intervention is about the mining industry and giving unfettered access to our resources to these large corporations.

I call on the federal government to stop their hypocrisy and to restore Land Rights , cultural integrity, use the money set aside to support the intervention to develop industries to support the local population under the direct control of the local population.

Restore the rights of the indigenous community.

End the racist silence and tacit support for the legalised killings that black deaths in custody represents.

Full restoration of the ATSIC.

Representatives from all indigenous communities in the parliaments of this land elected by their communities with reserved positions.

This is some of what should be done.

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