

# TO THE HONOURABLE THE SPEAKER AND ALL MEMBERS OF THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

## Gorgon Gas Project 'Petition'

On the 16<sup>th</sup> June 2011, the Minister for Resources and Energy and Minister for Tourism responded to Petition Tabled in the House on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> May 2011.

The Minister in his response to the petition, stated –

“The control of workplace dangerous goods and hazardous substance is overseen by Safe Work Australia.” **(No Minister, it should be regulated.)**

The Minister in his response failed to embrace the Petitioner’s request.

“Where a certain hazard (as described in schedule 6 of OH&SR) product cannot be manufactured, sold or installed unless it **has been authorised by the Regulator,**” no matter where it originates from.

We again “ask the House to embrace the legislative powers of the Parliament” and ask the Minister to embrace the Australian Regulations.

The Minister should not spend millions of Australian Government dollars to encourage better linkages, or on supplier advocates and/or positioning industry capabilities. The Minister should simply embrace the Australian Regulations.