

Submission Number: 32
Date Received: 14/10/2010

SL

Dear Mr. Windsor,

Many years ago an author named Ion Idriess tried to get support for a scheme to divert coastal rainfall in the Qld rainy season through the ranges to the inland. In these days of advances in engineering, could this be considered, if only to build up underground reserves.

It could be quite feasible to build small dams on the coast side of the ranges that could send water inland through tunnels bored through the ranges. Careful management would ensure coastal rivers still had sufficient flow for agricultural purposes and protect such biota such as the lung fish.

Please give this some consideration - I cannot do more than suggest this course as I am 80 and in poor health.

Patricia Leeper