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**Committee Secretary
Senate Environment, Communications, information
Technology and the arts Committee
Department of the Senate
Parliament house
Canberra ACT 2600
Australia.**

**Re: late submission to; “Inquiry into Australia’s National Parks,
conservation reserves and marine protected areas”.**

From: Brett Dawson independent individual submission.

Committee of inquiry,

In the sincere belief that Australia’s National Parks can be protected and conserved for all times for all generations through innovated conservation methods as proposed under the principals of the emerging studies of Ecological Economics.

In a firm belief as an independent submitter with no associations to any green groups or education institutions or any tourism organisations, I submit theories of studies of controlled nature based tourism via permit accredited eco-tourism within national parks.

The controlled nature based tourism is based on pre-planned and surveyed long distance connected walking tracks controlled and maintained by appropriately national parks authorities enhanced with community participation voluntary and or paid. Controlled national park walking tracks pre-planned, constructed, managed and maintained by Green Groups, National Parks personnel and community collectively.

Through controlled long distance national parks walk tracks under the principals of Ecological Economics where as a minimal sustainable economy will maintain innovation conservation practices via walk track check points and designated eco-tourism lodging facilities. i.e. Nepal National Parks.

Although the submission is under “Smart Travel Choices for South East Queensland, Passive Urban Transit Environment Green Belt Corridors” future studies/research and completion of cost analysis and economic benefits (*Ecological Economics*) is not far off, allowing for personal free time for research.

***Yours Endeavouring,
Brett Dawson.***