



The Hon. Sussan Ley  
Member for Farrer

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Dear Ms Ley,

My wife and I have retired from farming to live in Monma but we still have children and grandchildren who reside and work in the Murray Darling basin. We are deeply concerned for their future if the proposed reduction in available water is implemented.

In view of the fact that there has already been a substantial buyback of water for the environment we would like to challenge the "powers that be" to prove that this water is being used in a responsible manner before they take away additional supplies.

The future will be bleak not only for farms but entire small towns in the Murray Darling basin if the authorities go ahead with their present scheme.

Yours faithfully,

(Mr. Geoffrey Kietel.)