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Native Vegetation Senate Inquiry

To Whom It May Concern,

We wish to voice our concern and objections to any “Law” that allows the ‘lock up’ of privately owned land, which has happened, not only to the now infamous Peter Spencer, but is continuing to happen to many other hard working farming families!

This issue is bigger than Peter Spencer, it is about Australia – our way of life, our freedom! We need to have ‘secure property rights’ – this is OUR country and we have the right to OUR property – be it the family farm or residential house block, and that means we can develop OUR asset as we see fit! The best ‘field practitioner’ is the farmer, and a Regime of Regulations remove the right to have a ‘fair go’!

Those who have already had their land virtually ‘stolen’ from them MUST be fairly compensated, and any future purchases MUST be on ‘just terms’ – and ONLY with the property owners consent to the purchase of any parcel of land – not a Communist style ‘takeover’ of a very valuable asset which in most cases makes their property/business unviable – while they are still expected to pay rates, insurances and mortgages – and how many families have buckled under the strain, how many suicides?

We implore you all to think of what the loss of secure property rights for all Australians in accordance with the Australian Constitution will mean to our beautiful country and the generations to follow!

Yours sincerely,

Kelvin and Julie