State governments routinely exhibit their short term thinking in relation to our nation's precious natural resources and environments, so please do not threaten our beautiful and diverse environments by giving State governments greater responsibilities for & control over our environment.

There should be a movement to decrease the scope and responsibilities of State governments, not towards, as they clearly illustrate that they rarely act in the greater good of the nation, rather devolve to selfish and short sighted policy making. This is none more obvious an example than their botched handling of the Murray-Darling Basin over many decades, regardless of the political party involved.

Thank you for taking the time to read my submission.