Submission:

"I write in support of rural wind farms.

I presently purchase green energy in the form of 100% wind energy derived electricity. I live on our family farm of 400 Ha and would be more than happy to have turbines on our property as it would generate both income and electricity. We live with electricity lines and windmills now. We are also living with climate change which is not pretty, nor easy to live with. If we don't want to continue the growth in greenhouse emissions we need to find ways of generating electricity in other ways; wind energy is a logical alternative to coal fired power stations.

I hope that the Senate does not make recommendations that make it even more difficult to develop alternatives to our present methods of producing usable energy.