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The Central desert is especially vulnerable to the impact of climate change. We bore the brunt of those record 40C+ days this year and fires have already damaged some of our iconic tourist facilities. The livelihoods of our people and the liveability of our region is at stake and these issues are slated to only get worse.

Food prices are already high here because of our remote location and are getting worse. What is the government doing to ensure that our part of the world is still liveable in 20 or 30 years apart from ignoring the issue and helping billionaires massively increase our coal and gas exports? How long can you continue to pretend the massive risks posed by climate change do not exist in the interest of big business?

Thank you for considering my submission.

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