PETITION

To the Honourable The Speaker and Members of the House of Representatives Assembled in Parliament:

The petition of certain citizens of the Canberra and Queanbeyan regions draws to the attention of the House that:

Our community will pay a high price if Canberra International Airport is allowed to develop a 24 hour freight hub, and to become Sydney's second airport (as outlined in its draft Master Plan 2008). The cost to our quality of life will be unacceptable because of a massive increase in Canberra's noise and carbon footprints, as well as the associated planning and infrastructure nightmares.

Your petitioners therefore request the House:

- To introduce a night time curfew to protect our sleep;
- To not allow Canberra International Airport to be developed as a 24 hour freight hub and the second Sydney airport;
- To not allow the proposed construction of a parallel runway.

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