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I am very concerned about the prospect of unconventional gas mining in Australia, and particularly in south western Victoria. I believe that fracking is an extremely dangerous practice, and there are many examples around the world where this has been proven. Surely in 2015 we are better off to utilise other alternative, sustainable energy sources such as solar or wind. I live in a beautiful part of Victoria, in Colac, which is at the foothills of the beautiful Otway ranges. We have many sights in this district that are attractive to people interested in fracking. Not only do we have a terrific, thriving tourism industry, we also have many farms in this region - dairy and beef cows just to name a few. I am very concerned that short term gain and greed may prevail - fracking is dangerous. Full stop. Please put an end to this madness. Please encourage the mining companies to invest in sustainable energy resources, for the sake of their grandchildren, and for the sake of mine. Thank you for the opportunity to comment.

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