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Parliamentarians,

Please reconsider your proposal to allow fracking in Victoria.

A cost benefit analysis of the present case, inclusive of current environmental services for all Victorians, would demonstrate that fracking provide limited economic returns at a deleterious trade-off of our environmental services, not to mention the degradation of tourism, farming and adverse impacts on water resources.

There is no gas shortage in Australia, and with prices dictated by international market, little relief for Victorians in term of their utility bill. To me the present gas rush smack of opportunistic, short-term, myopic focus on economic returns without due consideration for readily deployable renewable energy alternatives such as wind and solar, and continuing roll-out of energy efficiency standards.

Please do not trade-off the long term health of this Australian Felix for short-term gain.

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