

To the Environment and Planning Committee,

The risks of unconventional gas mining are sufficiently well documented to justify no fracking in our state, in order to avoid an unnecessary risk to our environment.

The recent announcement of a new carbon-free energy development (new wind farm) in Victoria demonstrates that the state can benefit financially by supporting new 'green' industries that do not involve the risks that have been demonstrated as associated with fracking.

Best regards,

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