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Secretary Environment and Planning Committee
Keir Delaney
10th of July, 2015

Dear Keir,

My name is Damien Shell. I am married with three young children.

I have three properties within the East Gippsland Shire.

I have a small business as a producer of cattle. I'll make this simple, and won't bother your committee with labourous rubbish. I don't want any heavy industry on my doorstep. I am pretty certain my neighbours don't either. I have a young family. I don't want to pass on a farming property to them when I die that has been devalued and polluted by some cashed up foreigner who wants to line their pockets at the expense of my families health. Its bad enough that we are selling off our nation for cash to the highest bidder let alone having some pricks trying to get rich from stuff, we don't need, beneath our land.

Land I want to pass on to my kids.

We travelled around Australia for 12 months last year, we (my family) saw first hand the impact heavy industry had on small communities. There was nothing better than getting back to this part of Victoria and finally realising how lucky we were for where we live. It is almost prestine. I can't believe any government would want to risk this for anything. Somethings should be beyond money, our children's health should come first, their environment next. Profiteers should come last.

Our kids are too young to think about their future, we're old enough to know better. The future does not belong to us.

To play it safe these industries need to be rejected. Especially when other technologies are being developed which don't have impacts on the environment.

I strongly oppose *any industry that interferes with my families environment.*

Sincerely
Damien Shell

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