

**From:** Fran Sokel [REDACTED]  
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**To:** LCLC  
**Subject:** Ban plastic bags

RE: INQUIRY INTO THE ENVIRONMENT PROTECTION AMENDMENT (BANNING PLASTIC BAGS, PACKAGING AND MICROBEADS) BILL 2016

Ban plastic bags

Plastic is a scourge on our planet, the sea is getting clogged with it. Plastic bags are given out with every purchase and no one wants to make an effort to stop this. They do not break down, they just become smaller pieces of plastic which ends up in the ocean, in fish and ultimately in us.

Please I urge you to ban them.

Fran Sokel

-- Fran Sokel, [REDACTED]

I'm happy for my submission and details to be made public.