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Subject: Dartbrook Coal Mine - Modification 7
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Dear Sir/madam

I am writing in support of the reopening of Dartbrook mine.

There are a lot of very well organised and very noisy conservationists who believe they have right on their side who while personally benefiting from progress and development want to stop it for everybody else.

The conservationists have adopted Climate Change as their mascot. They froth at the mouth about it and cannot be spoken to about it. Meanwhile Australia who produce only 2% of CO2, even if we stopped would have little impact on a (third) world crying out for progress.

All mining or any project disturbs the environment and there are risks to manage. Mining risks are well managed and climate change whether due to CO2 or any of 3 or 4 other factors effective throughout history is manageable and is no reason to panic. If the climate changes we will be fine and when it changes back again we will still be fine.

I stand with the sensible folk against the self righteous ranting of CC fanaticism.

I stand in favour of sensible well regulated mining development. Our business which employs 70 people is dependent upon mining. Some will say this is shelf interest but I assure my attitude to CC is quite separate from business. When the carbon tax was in place our business benefited but this has not changed my attitude to the popular science of climate change fear.

Regards

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