



The Federal Redistribution 2006  
NEW SOUTH WALES



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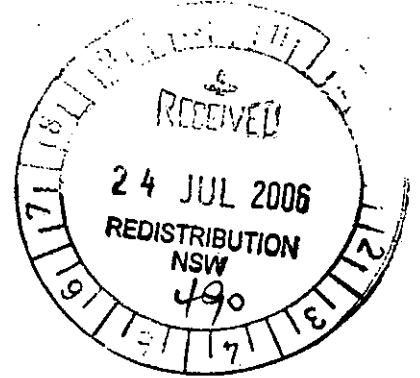
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Dear Sir

**RE- 2006 FEDERAL ELECTORAL REDISTRIBUTION**

I protest strongly that yet another seat is to be taken away from people who live in the country areas of NSW.

1. The growth estimates for Gwydir and Parkes provided by the Electoral Commission do not predict that these two electorates have the lowest growth rate in the state.
2. To create a new federal electorate which covers nearly 50% of NSW is ridiculous.
3. In the most recent NSW Electoral Redistribution the commissioners were very mindful of the huge size of the State seat of Murray Darling and took the opportunity to reduce the size of the electorate. So why would the Federal Electorate Commission create this geographically enormous seat?
3. To service an electorate of this anticipated size will be fraught with difficulty and danger with the number of Local Government Areas impossible to represent successfully.

Yours faithfully,

The Hon David Brownhill  
Senator for NSW 1984/2000