



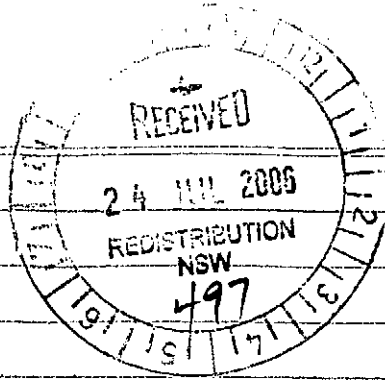
The Federal Redistribution 2006
NEW SOUTH WALES



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Dear Person in charge of the Redistribution
Committee for N.S.W.

I was saddened to read of A.E.C.'s new
idea to abolish the seat of Graydon & merge the
electorate into the seat of Parkes. As a rural
voter I can't imagine why any group of people
should wish to make it harder & harder for
rural residents to have contact with their
government / or government representative. It
just seems that the more isolated you are
~~the more isolated they would like you to~~
become - is this so? I would hate that!!?

I was always taught that governments were
to be "by the people, for the people" & to
make it harder for sparsely populated areas
to have contact with their government seems to
be a blatant disregard of what I believed
to be true of our Australian Constitution.

I would like to suggest you reverse
your decision at the earliest date possible and
that we are able to retain our Graydon
electorate

yours faithfully
(Mrs) J.A. Swales