



The Federal Redistribution 2006
NEW SOUTH WALES

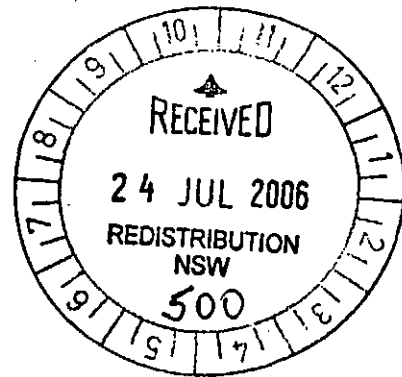


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"Wirra" MSF 2286
Moree NSW 2400
18-7-06.



Dear Sir,

I would like to lodge an objection to the proposed federal electoral redistribution of NSW, which will result in the abolition of the seat of Gwydir for the following reasons:

1. The proposed seat of Parkes is far too large for an elected member to adequately serve his constituents. It will be almost impossible for him to keep up with things happening in his electorate and to be obtainable to his constituents as he will be spending the greater part of his time travelling.
2. Because of the size of the proposed electorate, constituents will find it very difficult to approach their member.
3. To create one huge electorate from 2 already big country electorates equating to 47% of the State will reduce the "say" that the bush has. If one NSW seat had to go why was it not one of the Sydney seats which was the preferred option of the major political parties.
4. People in country NSW feel as if they are being discriminated against.
5. The name for the proposed electorate is totally unrepresentative of the area where we live; any changes to boundaries should keep the name Gwydir

Finally, this proposal will result in a lack of proper political representation for people living in the very large electorate of Parkes.

Yours faithfully,

Warwick, Roslyn and Tim Wannan