

## The Federal Redistribution 2006 NEW SOUTH WALES

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Redistribution Committee for New South Wales, Australian Electoral Commission (NSW), P.O. Box 20014, WORLD SQUARE NSW 2002.

I am writing to object to the proposed new electoral boundaries in the state of NSW.

The loss of the seat of Gwyder which would be merged into the seat of Parkes, gives country NSW one less seat in parliament and makes the seat of Parkes far too large for one member to administrate. Country people in NSW have very little say in the politics of the state as it is, and this reduces even further their influence in the governing of the state.

We support the retention of the existing boundaries between coastal and inland divisions where possible, so that the Great Dividing Range is left as a sensible natural division.

Yours truly, Neville & Vivienne Hibbard. 161 Bakers Road, MURWILLUMBAH. NSW.

