



The Federal Redistribution 2006  
NEW SOUTH WALES



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The Secretary,  
Redistribution Committee of NSW

We wish to record our alarm at your proposal to combine our electorate of Gwydir with Parkes. This would give our representative the impossible task of representing 47% of NSW.

You must be aware that city electorates are as small as 26 square kilometres and many of these do not meet the target population .

Country electorates have suffered because of successive droughts and resultant population drift, and all major parties recognise the need and fairness of maintaining representation to aid recovery.

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