



The Federal Redistribution 2006
NEW SOUTH WALES



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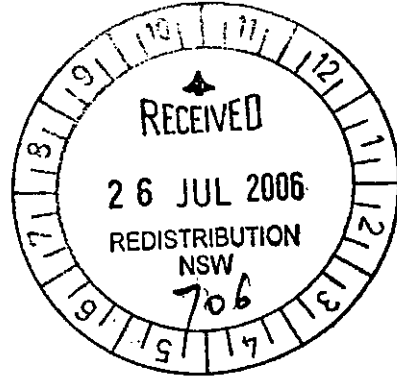
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Dear Sir

As a private citizen and as Deputy Mayor of Warren Shire Council I object strongly to the amalgamation of the division of Gwydir and Parkes.

This proposal will turn the division of Parkes into an unworkable division. No single member can possibly fairly represent their constituents in an electorate, which covers 47% of the State and has an area of 380,000 sq kms.

Sir, Rural Australia is already facing a massive struggle to have issues confronting them being considered by the federal government. This proposal is once again a retrograde step.

Yours faithfully,

JH (Jim) McCalman AM
Deputy Mayor

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