



**The Federal Redistribution 2006  
NEW SOUTH WALES**



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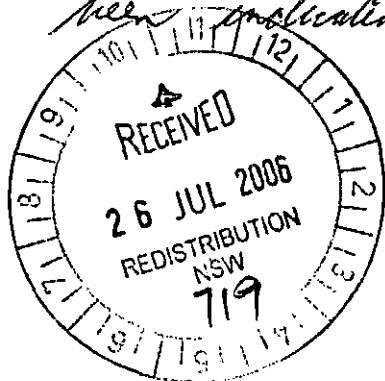
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DEAR SIR, World Square NSW 2002.

I desire to register my strong opposition to the proposed abolition of the electorate of Gungahlin. The Australian Electoral Commission's proposal to create a new Electorate of Parkes would be almost 380,000 square kms in size or 44% of N.S.W. This makes this electorate bigger than Japan and Germany. By creating such a huge electorate the proposal effectively reduces the voice of country people in Federal Parliament.

In Sydney people are often only 10 minutes from their M.P.'s office but this newly proposed seat of Parkes means people will have to drive hours & hours to see their M.P.

The whole size and vastness of the area would make it well nigh impossible for a member to service the electorate effectively.

I do trust the Commission will reconsider their proposal & abolish Gungahlin, as has been indicated by so many votes.



Yours faithfully  
C. G. R. Brett