



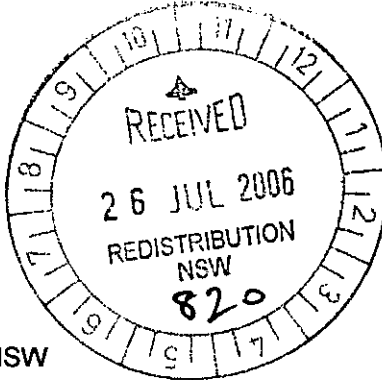
The Federal Redistribution 2006
NEW SOUTH WALES



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Redistribution Committee for NSW
Australian Electoral Commission
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Dear Sir / Madam,

Gwydir is a very productive and important region in NSW, producing quality beef, lamb, wool, cotton, wheat and many other grains. So why would anyone consider abolishing our electorate.

As country people we have already lost many of our services, such as banks, post offices, hospitals and doctors. We have to travel huge distances to see medical specialists, and dentists as well as wait many months for an appointment. We have to travel huge distances to have babies as many maternity units have been closed down. Our roads are mainly dirt and often dangerous or impassible. Now we hear we may also lose our voice in parliament.

Please reconsider this proposal of abolishing Gwydir and creating an electorate which is 47% of NSW, or we will keep losing more. It would be impossible for one member of parliament to represent 380,000 square kilometres.

Yours Sincerely,

Sally Croft