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Good afternoon

I pay taxes and I've lived in Qld since 1977. I am an ordinary mature woman with great concerns for the country I was born and bred in.

I support the proposed legislative amendments as proposed in the *Environmental Protection (Chain of Responsibility) Amendment Bill 2016*

I totally agree with changes to the law forcing mining companies to clean up after themselves, they should be forced to clean up every stage of mining including the incredible amount of deforestation and water, including underground water. I would even add that a substantial amount of money should be requested before any mining is undertaken as a guarantee from mining companies to guard against these companies "declaring bankruptcy" to avoid the costs of cleaning up after themselves. That money should be held in a secure fund and be fully refundable when the clean up is completed. In all areas.

Kind regards
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