

Inquiry into Crocodile Control and Conservation Bill 2025

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I do not believe the proposed “safer waterways bill’ will proposed by Shane Knuth will actually make anything safer from crocodile attack. Culling will lead to a false sense of security and ultimately another death or serious injury. The best way to avoid crocodile attack is to follow advice and stay crocwise. I urge this committee to reject this proposal on those grounds. Thank you.

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In regards to the latest attempt to resurrect the “safer waterways bill” I would like to highlight, as expressed last time and continually that this proposed culling of crocodiles is nothing more than futile and reckless. It is dangerous to suggest that a cull will make waterways ‘safe’. The dynamics of crocodiles is territorial and removing one crocodile may encourage several more aggressive ones to fill the void. No cull can ensure 100 percent safety. I urge to committee to dismiss this proposal and instead focus on education through programmes such as Crocwise teaching people to be safe and knowledgeable living side by side on a daily basis with crocodiles and respectful of native wildlife.