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I strongly support new laws to ban outdated polluting farm practices that are harming our Reef.

Chemical run-off from farming practices end up in the waters of the Reef. The pollution blocks sunlight and smothers corals and seagrass beds. Fertiliser run-off can also fuel algal blooms which overtake coral and drive crown of thorn starfish outbreaks.

New laws are needed to give the Reef the clean water it needs to recover, protect and preserve it for future generations.

Yours Sincerly

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