

I, Cassandra McMahon would like to make a submission to the Land and Other Legislation Amendment Bill.

I have noticed that there has been changes to what was previously announced by Jeff Seeney on 12 August 2013 that leaseholds would automatically roll over to 60 year leaseholds.

The Amendment Bill now states " For term leases issued for agricultural, grazing and pastoral purposes, rolling term lease extensions will apply only to:

- rural leasehold land covering an area 100 hectares or above; however the Minister may also declare certain agricultural, grazing and pastoral leases below 100 hectares as rolling leases for certain term leases;
- leases not located on Land Act reserves"

It also seems to be a process of continually rolling over the leases for the duration of the lease. I cannot see how this has changed the process that has previously undertaken.

I am greatly disappointed that Jeff Seeney has gone back on his word of the 60 year lease arrangement and during the interview on Queensland Country Hour, Seeney stated that the leases would automatically rollover and leasees are not required to do anything to have their leases extended.

Leasees do appreciate the opportunity to do some long term planning and my partner and I will need to revise our plan which we understood after hearing and reading the above announcement would be automatically rolled over to a 60 year lease plan.

Yours sincerely,

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