

State Development, Natural Resources and Agricultural Industry Development Committee

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To: State Development, Natural Resources and Agricultural Industry Development Committee
Subject: RE: Submission on the Mineral Resources (Galilee Basin) Amendment Bill 2018
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Dear Chair and Committee Members,

I am writing this submission in support of the Mineral Resources (Galilee Basin) Amendment Bill 2018.

I support the Bill's intent to terminate existing coal mining leases in the Galilee Basin, and prohibit grant of new coal mining leases for land in the Galilee Basin. In addition, I believe it should be amended to prevent all new thermal coal and gas projects in Queensland to ensure we are doing all that we can to reduce the risks of dangerous climate change.

It is very disappointing to me that our current Government does not take climate change seriously and puts foreign company profits ahead of our own environment. Current weather events around the globe show an increase in extreme and devastating weather patterns. We need to become more environmentally conscious NOW and that needs to be reflected in the decisions made by our elected representatives.

Kind regards,

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