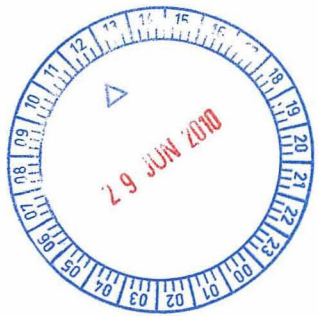


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SUBJECT: INQUIRY INTO THE SHACK SITE IN WESTERN AUSTRALIA

With regards to the standing committee on environment and public affairs inquiry into and report on information and issues to help government in the development of policy and the regulation of shack sites on public land in Western Australia.

As a High School Teacher I have witnessed many children who have spent their weekends with family at shack getaways. They are always well rounded, socially adept and environmentally aware. These children constantly make the transition into the workforce easily.
I believe the shacks provide a positive family orientated outlet for the blue collar workers.
Heaven forbid you take away the shacks and condemn us to another generation of children that look like Kim Beasley and act like Kevin Rudd.

Zachary Cochran