

I, Murray Nixon

Western Australia, am the promoter of this petition which contains 14 signatures.

in the State of

PETITION IN RELATION TO [SUBJECT MATTER]

To the President and Members of the Legislative Council of the Parliament of Western Australia in Parliament assembled.

We the undersigned residents of Western Australia are opposed to Environmental Protection (Environmentally Sensitive Areas) Notice 2005 published in the Government Gazette in April 2005 No. 55.

Firstly, we believe that the Government failed to fulfil the requirements of the *Environmental Protection Act 1986* as spelt out in section 51B.

Because there was no:

- consultation as required by section 51B prior to the Notice being Gazetted
- subsequent contact since the publishing of the Notice
- detailed requirements made available in printed form by Law Print or are reasonably accessible,

owners are still unaware of the impact of the Notice on their properties.

Owners of property with areas declared ESA's by the Notice are in our opinion at risk of criminal prosecution with large fines and/or imprisonment.

Finally, in our opinion if the full legal requirements of the Notice were fully implemented it would destroy the livelihood of an estimated 3,000 to 4,000 property owners and their communities from Kalbarri through to the South West corner to east of Esperance.

Your petitioners therefore respectfully request the Legislative Council to recommend repeal of the Environmental Protection (Environmentally Sensitive Areas) Notice 2005.

And your petitioners as in duty bound, will ever pray.

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