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TECHNOLOGY AND THE AGRICULTURE AND MINING SECTORS

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Thank you for the opportunity to make a submission on this important issue.

Technology is playing an increasing role in the agriculture sector. However, the inconsistent coverage of the mobile network creates significant impediment to the effectiveness of technology in the areas without mobile access.

Creating a mobile network that covers the entirety of the productive agricultural areas of NSW would greatly increase the productivity of the agricultural sector.

Yours faithfully

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