

**Submission
No 43**

**MINERALS LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (OFFSHORE DRILLING AND
ASSOCIATED INFRASTRUCTURE PROHIBITION) BILL 2023**

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Please do not mine or explore for gas, oil or coal near the coastline. We have a beautiful coast here on the northern beaches of Sydney. Accidents, spills and other incidents bring the area under threat. This is a unique area and all efforts to preserve it should outweigh policies to provide fossil fuels.

The future of fossil fuels is short term; our environment is our life . Environmental concerns are overarching and outweigh financial gains.

Save our coastline please .