

**Submission
No 28**

**JOINT SELECT COMMITTEE ON PROTECTING LOCAL WATER UTILITIES
FROM PRIVATISATION**

Organisation: Northern Rivers Joint Organisation

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The Chair
Joint Select Committee on Protecting Local Water Utilities from Privatisation
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Dear Chair

Inquiry into Protecting Local Water Utilities from Privatisation – Submission by the Northern Rivers Joint Organisation (NRJO)

Thank you for the opportunity to make a submission to the Committee in relation to its inquiry into protecting local water utilities (LWU) from privatisation.

The Northern Rivers Joint Organisation ('NRJO') is opposed to the privatisation of LWUs and supportive of their continued public ownership.

As an industry stakeholder, we appreciate the opportunity to provide this initial feedback and would value the opportunity to participate further in the process. In the meantime, should the Committee require any further information from us, please do not hesitate to contact the writer by telephone on [REDACTED] or by email at [REDACTED].

Yours faithfully

Councillor Sharon Cadwallader
Chair
Northern Rivers Joint Organisation

Background Notes - Northern Rivers Joint Organisation

The NRJO is a Local Government entity, proclaimed in May 2018 under the Local Government Act 1993. Its membership comprises the seven councils of Ballina, Byron, Clarence, Kyogle, Lismore, Richmond Valley, and Tweed.



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