Answer to question put on notice by Harrison Burkitt (Save Cliefden Caves Association) from the Hon. Penny Sharpe.

A 500 gigalitre dam at either of the Cranky Rock sites would not be acceptable to the Save Cliefden Caves Association. If a dam of that size was built at either of the Cranky Rock locations, it would significantly inundate the Cliefden Caves area and the Belubula riverine corridor.

The Save Cliefden Caves Association and Belubula River Alliance are opposed to any dams that would impact on the Cliefden landscape, in particular its caves, fossils and associated environments. We apply the precautionary principle to any water impoundment proposal in the Belubula River Valley.