

**Submission  
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**INQUIRY INTO ADEQUACY OF WATER STORAGES IN  
NSW**

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**Submission for Inquiry into adequacy of water storages in NSW.**

**We do not need any further dams for water storage. Dams are very destructive of the natural environment and of agricultural land. They cost a lot of money, which impacts on rate payers.**

**I would submit that we have a long way to go in reducing water wastage from leaking mains and from unnecessary use in industrial situations. Also the collection of rainwater in tanks can be expanded.**

**We should cease the destruction of natural aquifers by industrial processes forthwith, especially by coal seam gas mining.**

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