

Submission  
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## INQUIRY INTO COAL SEAM GAS

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Partially Confidential

Our family is a long term recreational user of the Manning River, principally by sailboarding, rowing, and dinghy sailing. We have concerns that the concession holders for coal seam gas mining will use chemicals that will find their way into the water we have contact with, and will have adverse health consequences. We are alarmed at the possible use of chemicals banned in other jurisdictions , more so because the industry operates in a less than transparent manner across the globe