

Submission
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**INQUIRY INTO THE PRIVATISATION OF PRISONS AND
PRISON-RELATED SERVICES**

Name: Ms Margaret O'Riordan

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I would like to register my objection to the privatisation of Parklea and Cessnock Prisons. I oppose the privatisation on the grounds that the State Government has the ultimate responsibility for managing and running correctional centres and providing rehabilitation programs for inmates, the goals of which, will be undermined by the business of profit driven private companies.