

**Submission  
No 195**

## **INQUIRY INTO 'ENERGY FROM WASTE' TECHNOLOGY**

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I am lodging this submission against the allowance of the world's largest energy-from-waste incinerator to be built in Eastern Creek. I have lived in Erskine Park for nearly 8 years and we love the area, I have two very young children, and had hoped to keep them in the area for all of their schooling. However if this incinerator goes ahead we will have to make a decision on how we can move from the area for the following reasons:

1. I have asthma and there is a high possibility that my children have inherited this from me, so to stay in an area where the air quality will be diminished is a health risk to us.
2. You may say that it's not that close to residential area but our house when you are in the top level (2 storey home) you can see the construction site, so we are in a directly affected area.
3. It will affect the value of our home and we if we do decide to sell will not recoup the value it was bought for therefore instead of purchasing our final home and being in a comfortable position to enjoy life we will go backwards and be in a large amount of debt
4. Why would you want to build such an industrial waste disposal incinerator so close to a residential area, that not only has homes but multiple schools and day-care's in it?
5. How can construction still be continuing at this site with such a large opposition to it
6. The government is already going ahead with the western Sydney airport close by which will increase traffic flow to the area and now you want to add to this with a filthy big incinerator, why don't you put it over on the beaches?

Please do not go ahead with this incinerator on our back door, please relocate it to a complete industrial area away from already established suburbs.

Thankyou

Yours Sincerely

Mark Russell