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**INQUIRY INTO WATER NSW AMENDMENT
(WARRAGAMBA DAM) BILL 2018**

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Against Raising the Wall at Warragamba Dam I was born and raised in Warragamba, my mother still resides there and we return often to the area. In the 70's my house was on Jerry's Creek Wallacia and went completely under water in one of the big floods. There hasn't been a flood since that has done the same thing. I am totally against the raising of the wall at Warragamba. We will lose too much of the wilderness in the area, artwork in the caves, wildlife, plants, a lot of which is becoming rare and needs to be treasured and preserved. We grew up walking in these areas, and learnt to respect it all. Using the expected floods as the reason for raising the wall is a very poor excuse, when we all know it is simply to increase real estate and make money, where's the respect in that ?