## INQUIRY INTO COSTS FOR REMEDIATION OF SITES CONTAINING COAL ASH REPOSITORIES

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as a local resident that regularly spends time on the lake, the health of the lake is of incredible importance to us. The statistics clearly show the impact the power station coal ash is having on the lake and it makes no sense to not create a recycling opportunity from it especially in this day and age. If the company or government cant be bothered then create a tender and allow a 3rd party to invest and implement a viable strategy where they may profit from recycling the coal ash. Far too long govt and councils alike are being so reactive to many environmental situations (ie recent flooding on central coast due to lack of decisions on the opening of the entrance channel) its time to start getting things done - if theres a issue as there is with the coal ash - the solution isnt hard! For the sake of our childrens future and the health of our local environment, big companies need to step up and so what it takes to minimise the impact their business has on the communities around them.