INQUIRY INTO ENVIRONMENTAL PLANNING AND ASSESSMENT AMENDMENT (INFRASTRUCTURE CONTRIBUTIONS) BILL 2021

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My husband and I oppose to the Environmental Planning and Assessment Amendment (Infrastructure Contributions) Bill 2021.

Its infuriating, disappointing and stressful to know that the current liberal Government is contemplating to tax our homes.

Our homes are not a business, they are our refuge our Castle. No one has to pay taxes on their principal home.

We feel discriminated against just for the fact there is going to be more infrastructure around us due to the Government decision to build the Western Sydney Airport.

The Government is imposing to build around us, we have no choice but to move out of OUR home.

We do NOT have sewerage or town water we are happy to live without this luxuries.

If we stay we would be living under a flight path, noise pollution, water contamination and face a future with health issues.

Government is pushing suburbia on to us AND on top of all these YOU -THE GOVERNMENT is going to punish us by imposing and unfair and unjust TAX.

We have never been given a choice, the decision was made by the Government to make our homes unliveable due to the proximity of the airport (1.5km away).

Our choice to continue to live in a semi rural environment means we now have to move further away from our families, friends, health facilities, education, work ,etc.

The cost of property prices have increased around the country, not just in and around new infrastructure.

Why are we been targeted for this unfair, money grabbing tax?

We would also be liable to pay stamp duty when we purchase another home.

Taxes on top of more taxes.

We urged the decision makers to think of the impact this will have on families.

We are not rich large landowners ,we just want to be treated as any other Australian home owner exempt of this 'Home Ownership Tax'.