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**INQUIRY INTO PROPOSED ENERGY FROM WASTE
FACILITIES**

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I have lived in Tarago all my life and I have been putting up with the smell of Sydney's rubbish coming on what I call the stink train for years. I call it that because it stinks and it makes the air smell so bad! The train is so long that we lose count of the carriages when we pass it. I'm only ten why do I even have to think about stuff like this why can't you make it just go away. Can you explain to me why rubbish is sent to Tarago and why it's not Sydney's problem? Am I and my friends not as good as Sydney children? Why are we growing up with the health risks created from burning their rubbish? Aren't grown up's supposed to make decisions to keep kids like me safe? A lot of Tarago lives are at risk, Stop now for a better Future, I say no to the toxic waste incinerator, there are heaps of these signs around the town and on farm fences why isn't anyone listening to us? I have pets that live outside will they be ok? Will I have to send my dogs, chickens and guinea pigs to a safer place to live? What about our farm, what will happen to that? I have heard mum and dad talking about how we might move if the incinerator is approved. I don't want to leave my home and my friends all because rubbish and money is more important to you than I am. Do the right thing and ban incinerators forever and keep kids like me and my friends safe!