

Dear Sir / Madam

Please register this brief but grave letter of concern in relation to fracking under consideration in WA.

Numerous scientific bodies have elucidated significant potential health hazards in relation to the above with unequivocal documentation in peer reviewed literature.

It behoves the new Western Australian government to conduct an updated and fully comprehensive independent review of the potential direct and indirect impacts of proceeding with an unconventional gas industry on human health and wellbeing, both now and in future.

In the meantime I support in the strongest possible manner, a moratorium on unconventional gas development (UGD) until the health and environmental consequences are adequately understood and the appropriate monitoring and regulations are in place to protect human health.

Yours faithfully

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