

Thankyou for this opportunity to have a say . A few things , can we have more studies on the effects of fracking on underground structures , ie movement of gases and chemicals , collapse of structures and implications and relation to artesian basins etc and the latest information on the long term consequences of destabilising underground structures so dramatically . Can we have some movement forward in the courts on the gross negligence of this practice for many people , utterly irresponsible behaviour by our government and legislators . Also as a resident of the Margaret River region where they had a secret squirrel harmless exploratory fracking well , layer upon layer of bs about what it was there for , and still, whatever it's fracking status , there is evidence of significant amounts of inorganic chemicals being pumped down this harmless well . Where did they go ?? No idea ! situated 1 km from the Margaret River , our drinking water supply . Their should be a mandatory water & soil (particularly on agricultural land) testing regime the public can view . At the least . How is the truth ever going to come out if they keep hiding the evidence (or consequences as I call it) We are all accountable to this kind of testing in public life , teachers with the national literacy tests , tests for the elderly to check the eyesight is ok to not endanger other drivers , drink driving tests , I could go on , all to protect the collective community . So what error of justice is occurring that not only are people's social rights being violated , their right to a living is threatened without even looking at the ecological impacts even though the evidence is overwhelming . How do you break this cycle because let's face it , that's how it's been for a long time . Jobs and money for the few at the expense of the many , always ! I'm a bit tired of hearing " where would we all be without us rich people " . After thinking " better off " , I suggest they might pause and consider where they would have been without the cleaners and the nurses and the mechanics the builders gardeners and frankly stop being so selfish and greedy , it's uncivilised !

Regards

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