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To: Gladstone Electorate Office Subject: QCA Recommendations

Dear Liz

Please continue your opposition to the proposed water pricing policy of the Gladstone Area Water Board. I consider it ludicrous that a public utility such as the GAWB should be made to operate at a profit. All public utilities such as water, power, communications and other essential services are not profit making businesses, but are there to provide a service which is paid for by the taxpayers. It is incumbent on governments to run them as efficiently as possible for the least amount as possible, not to turn them into milch cows to fund consolidated revenue.

Regards

Brian Morrissy