

PROPOSED ALIGNMENT OF WATERLOO-BUSSELTON TRANSMISSION LINE

Petition

Hon Barry House presented the following petition bearing the signatures of 92 persons -

To the Honourable the President and Members of the Legislative Council of the Parliament of Western Australia assembled.

We, the undersigned landholders and residents of Western Australia, object to the Western Power Corporation's proposed alignment of a 132KV Transmission Line between Waterloo and Busselton on the following grounds:

- lack of recognition of the negative impacts on landholders directly affected by the transmission line
- no acknowledgment of compensation, pre and post land values, future land use, etc
- concerns that the 132KV transmission line could be upgraded to cater for increased demand in the future
- inadequacy of the process followed by the Western Power Corporation in the selection of the transmission line route by not fully and seriously considering other alternatives such as mining company properties/mining tenements and disused railway reserves

We respectfully request the Legislative Council to support the requirement for further consultation and investigation of the proposed route.

And your petitioners as in duty bound will ever pray.

[See paper No 1527.]