I certify that this Petition conforms with
the Standing Orders of the Legislative Council

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I, Hon Mia Davies MLA, of which contains 398 signatures.

in the State of Western Australia, am the promoter of this petition

Petition: Protecting our Agricultural Colleges

To the President and Members of the Legislative Council of the Parliament of Western Australia in Parliament Assembled.

We, the undersigned, say that raiding 20 per cent of collective on-farm revenue contributed to the Agricultural Education Farm Provisions Trust will place the delivery of agricultural education in WA at risk.

The Trust is used to fund farm fleet vehicles, plant, machinery, licensing and insurance for vehicles and machinery, maintenance of infrastructure, fending and other recurrent costs associated with education delivery at five WA Colleges of Agriculture, Esperance Senior High School Farm Training Centre and 10 other public schools.

Targeting the Trust won't pay down State debt. It will limit the ability of agricultural colleges to strategically manage their operations and maintain a modern agricultural education program. It will result in cuts to school programs that embed an understanding of agriculture/farming in the community.

We therefore ask the Legislative Council to call on Premier Mark McGowan to abandon plans to raid the Trust.

And your petitioners as duty bound, will ever pray.

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