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Submitted by: Anonymous

Submitted values are:

**Submission Type**

I am making a personal submission

## Name

**First name**

Peter

**Last name**

Ridgeway

**I would like my submission to remain confidential**

No

## Info

**Email**

**Suburb/Town & Postcode**

**Please provide your view on the project**

I object to it

**Submission**

I object to the incorporation of Cemeteries as SSD.

The purpose of SSD determinations is to exempt particular types of development from communities rights to democratically choose the future of their regions for themselves and from the usual checks and balances of standard planning regulations.

The present Cemeteries proposal is a respond to the recent spate of cemetery proposals in the Sydney region which have fallen over. They did so because they failed to gain the support of local communities and failed to meet the standard checks and balances of planning regulations.

Australia's population growth targets (themselves undemocratic) mean that there is a need to develop more Cemeteries.

The solution to this problem is for Cemetery developers to start presenting proposals which communities actually want, not to exempt them from democracy

**I agree to the above statement**

Yes