

Dear Josh Frydenberg,

It is tragically obvious that protection of our natural resources and the Australian Tourism industry is not on your list of priorities, but please do remember that the damage done now, will never be redeemable in the future.

A vast number of Queensland workers are employed by the tourism industry and this should be expanded rather than not cut back to allow more mining. Tourism is good for us, mining is not and one day (sooner rather than later) the coal will no longer be needed whether or not you want that to be the case.

Australia will then be left with almost nothing to "sell" as our tourism will be halved along with the protected areas.

Think again PLEASE before Australia's pristine land is also ruined like so many other countries in the world. Please be part of the betterment of the world instead of the destruction of it as THIS is what you will be remembered for.

100% renewable energy IS our future whether you want it or not. Australians WILL move forward on it despite what this government does. Denmark has done it and we will too.

I was a Liberal voter for 45 years but not now. I do not want to vote for Greens as they aren't right on everything either but I'm afraid they are now a better option than Liberal.

By the way, **millions of jobs are created in a renewable energy society** where as mining jobs are short lived now and mechanisation makes even less jobs (but you know that) ...just look at the other countries with it...please look **outside** the box.

Sincerely,  
Diane Williamson