

Dear MRET Review Secretariat,

As concerned individuals, we have visited the MRET Review website to read the act. In our submission we wish only to ask that in this current review of the Act, there be no watering down of the powers of the Act nor of the penalties for non compliance, but rather an increase in penalties (in line with increasing charges to consumers) and an increase in the levels of targets for power generation by use of renewable resources. In our view greenhouse gas emissions and deterioration of atmospheric quality are very serious and already existing problems which require very serious and immediate commitment. 9500gWh by 2010 is not a huge commitment, and could be seen by many as a token only. Australia has enormous potential to develop 'Green' energy generation and lead the world in associated technologies. Please strengthen the powers of the Act.

Yours sincerely,  
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