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Dear Commissioners,

Santos has been pleading for access to the Pilliga gas field since about 2013. Yet a NSW State Survey, at about that date, stated that we had 3 zones of substantial gas deposits, sited in the Central West, New England, and Riverina, all well clear of the Artesian Basin, and, a bit later, that these 3 fields could supply all of our States gas needs for over 100 years (compared with the Santos plan near Narrabri promising only half the states needs, for perhaps 50 years).

So, we should abandon the Santos plan, and advise the NSW Government to develop the 3 big known fields ... preferably by the Government itself, to produce gas at-cost, which could really lower gas prices in our State.

Yours faithfully
Adams.