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Dear IPCN members,

In their new submission Santos said they will be replacing and aging Coal power station and will reduce greenhouse emissions.

I watched Michael Moores "the planet of the humans" last night. A shocking eye opener to say the least.

In this they replaced a Coal power station with two gas power stations both which emit more greenhouse gases than the original power station.

The entire gas extraction process is a worse greenhouse emitter than coal so it is not the transition fuel that it is believed to be.

This Covid pandemic has shown we must change direction gas is no longer economically viable with some of the biggest producers in the USA filing for bankruptcy.

In light of recent events it would be unwise to approve this project from going ahead and you might encourage Santos to rehabilitate the site with a plant to produce manufacturing model growing Hemp using regenerative farming practices (see below).

Thank you for your time consideration on the above matters and your wisdom in the future direction of this project.

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New Zealand are placing their future in Hemp. This amazing plant has been used to build and power a plane stronger than steel. A superconductor more conductive than graphene, build houses (mirreco), clothes, paper. It can be made into 3D filament which can be used in a 3D printer (microfactory)

If a Plant to produce microfactory was introduced to all Australian farms and used to clean up Australian mines (oh I forgot it has been used to clean up Chernobyl). It has a very nutritious seed which once processed contains virtually no THC.

Gas and fertiliser can be created through processing food waste and sewerage in biodigestors. We need to invest dollars in working towards a better future.

Improve efficiencies in the technology we use. The Toyota Hybrids use a combination of internal combustion engine and electric using computers to determine best efficiencies for a given situation. So you can get over 1000 km from a tank of petrol. We are so much smarter than what we are currently doing and are being presented with an ideal opportunity to change direction.

It takes 6 years to generate coal power from scratch. Existing stations are inefficient. We could power stations with rubbish rather than coal and generate gas, fertilizer from food waste and sewerage. The battery in The South Australian battery took less than 2 to store energy from sustainable sources. The tide is changing.

You have to start somewhere and if our covid funds are going to kick start something it should be solar powered, aquaponic, hydroponic superfood farms, regenerative farming, permaculture, Biodigestors, sustainable energy, in local communities and on Australian farms and in the cleanup of Australian mines. These options have much more job potential than the Gas and fertilizer options suggested by the taxpayer funded lobbyists on the Covid commission

If you agree please write to your local MPs and let them know.

If we really care about emissions. Turn off the TV, computer, light, etc. at the power socket when no in use. Walk, cycle or take public transport instead of drive. Buy unpackaged food, start a permaculture garden growing superfoods; hemp, sweet potato, pumpkin, chia seeds, linseed, rosemary, (see eat to beat, Dr William Li) in your food garden. Keep Goats and Chickens instead if cats and dogs.

Invest in multipurpose, efficient energy, food, product and waste disposal in the local area rather than printing and advertising future plans. Instead of wasting excess budgeted funds on advertising do something practical with it like buy a biodigestor for an old age facility or hospital.