

Notice of Motion

13 September 2012

I give notice that on the next day of sitting I shall move that -

1. The Senate notes:
 - a) The Environment Minister Tony Burke's intention to transfer responsibility for protecting our nationally threatened species and wilderness places to state governments by March 2013.
 - b) That Tasmanian Premier Lara Giddings is ready to sacrifice the Tarkine wilderness for mining and development.
2. The Senate calls on the federal Government to retain responsibility for making all major decisions on environmentally damaging projects that affect our nationally threatened species and wilderness places.



Senator Larissa Waters