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**Submission on the Review of the Native Vegetation Regulation by John Carter**

**I call on the government to repeal the Native Vegetation Act and Regulation and to commence the winding of the Department. The recent advertisement in the Land Newspaper for the position of Deputy Chief Executive Regional Operations ( salary \$280,000) was quite unintelligible and typified the Departmental thinking- it has lost any relationship to reality.**

**The various guidelines are academic waffle and their even handed implementation is an impossible task. Consequently it is either nonexistent or in the hands of Gestapo type officers who have a pathological hatred of farmers who have land which they haven't got. The whole Act should have been struck down as discriminatory years ago as it penalises farmers to no purpose but ignores developers, miners and suburban land use. It is a pathetic but vicious attempt to take NSW farmers back to 1788.**

**Wind the Department up now and save the State much needed money.**