

Hello,

In relation to your green paper regarding the aviation industry, I will tell you how it has intruded into our home like a thoughtless criminal thug.

Back before the 2nd runway was built, I saw the Premier of Qld speaking on the news that when the new run way opened it would mean that the flights would go over the ocean/ the Moreton Bay, so they didn't go over homes.

Then during Covid lock down, for the first time ever that I have been in Upper Brookfield (since 1991), I had a commercial jet fly over our house - it was a complete shock and intrusion into our peaceful bush block, and instantly made me angry. I suddenly understood what provocation under the Criminal Code meant.

That plane menace then left the valley, and I wasn't aware of it, other than from my friends in the next valley who have had interminable difficulties with the flights and suffered significantly, mentally, emotionally, and physically in having to alter their home life and sleep arrangements to deal with the offensive intrusion of constant droning flight noise.

During Covid, there was a meeting at the Brookfield Hall that I attended - it was conducted by Air Services Australia I believe, and was very difficult to attend- it was not just a drop in session, was held at a time that didn't suit workers, you had to register and it wasn't widely publicised. At that meeting there were engineers present who had worked in the aviation industry who commented that if the parameters at the Brisbane airport were changed (regarding wind factor), which were parameters at airports around the world, all flights could go over the Bay. There was also reference to the no fly zone over Amberley which restricted where the flights could go.

But this was not an issue until the new run way opened and the statement by the Premier was that the flights would all go over the Bay. So why isn't this happening? There must be a solution to ensure that homes do not become a place of abuse rather than refuge. I agree with the Brisbane Flight Path Community Alliance about the lottery system and playing one community off against another- it is completely wrong and should be condemned.

A friend of mine in this valley informed me of a meeting in the last week or so, that I could not attend as I was coming home from work at the time that it was finishing.- which is typical of Air Services- they organise meetings without telling anyone it is going to affect and at times that doesn't suit most people their decisions affect. What my friend told me was that the decision by Air Services was to change the flight plans from one valley to the next, and it would mean it was coming over our valley. I tried to access their documentation on line and it would't print out- why aren't they obliged to send a copy of what is proposed to every household that is going to be affected?

Then on Thursday night last week (24 November 2023), when I and my husband- both front line workers- needed a good nights sleep to do our jobs properly, we were rudely woken at 2am in the morning to the drone of a jumbo jet - it was an unwelcome rude intrusion that incensed me at a time that I should have been fast asleep for a very long stressful day at work the next day. And then another one came over 15 minutes later when I was trying to force myself to sleep. I can not do my job - which is high stress and demanding - with your planes invading my sleep and the peaceful enjoyment and use of our home. If a burglar invaded my

home like your planes do, just once, they would be repelled and arrested. But your planes are continuing to invade our peace and enjoyment like a recidivist burglar who has to be stopped. What is the difference?

This is a peaceful bushland valley subject to State and Federal environmental protection and we collect our own drinking water. If planes don't fly over drinking water dams, how can they fly over thousands of drinking water dams that all of our homes in this valley collect and rely on?

In the last week when I've been at home these planes and their awful droning intrusion have been almost constant- it has to stop.

This is affecting our use and enjoyment of our land and our home and it is land that is part of the lungs of Brisbane. *Bernstein v Skyways* did not support that intrusion and I'm sure it is ripe for relitigation considering there has been an administrative decision to put planes out her, and then to change flight plans from one valley to the other, when the Air Services own records show that it will affect more people- so lifting the load from one complaining valley, to another valley that will then also complain. This is an untenable position and a solution has to be found that doesn't affect this bushland valley. It shouldn't be affecting anyone out here.

This was a decision by a federal authority, where there was absolutely no EIS in relation to the impact that it would have in this bushland setting that collects its own drinking water and provides the service of being the lungs for Brisbane, and there was absolutely no notification or warning to the residents out here.

The Commonwealth has an obligation under the Constitution in relation to property, and its administrative decisions are subject to Administrative Review, and if this is a sudden loss of the peace and enjoyment of our land, that we and all the others who are in the same position because of such a ridiculous and capricious decision by Air Services, with out notice, there needs to be an injunction and solution that is found that rid these awful planes from our peaceful valley.

This has real impact on real people. I don't impose my home on your airport, and nor should your planes be invading our home.

For the last 30 years I have worked tirelessly for the Qld community, and I can only do it as I can come home and have the peaceful enjoyment of my home in the quiet bush land setting. The shocking intrusion of the at times constant planes in the last week, has made me consider whether I can continue in my professional role. That is the impact that you and your planes are having on me and who knows how many others.

This is important and needs to be fixed, so that homes, communities, bushland valleys with their own drinking water are not impacted by your selfish capricious thoughtles flight plans.

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