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Queensland Competition Authority
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Dear Sir or Madam:

My partner and I purchased a house at Ambrose, which is a small township about 6klms north of Mt. Larcom. We are a young couple with two young children and another on the way. Although we are not connected to town water, at times of continued dry weather we have to buy truckloads of water. With the intended increase in price of water in Mt. Larcom there is no way we will be able to afford to buy water, so we will have to run the risk and use water from a small creek which is at the back of Ambrose.

You will make clean water a luxury that young families like us won't be able to afford. How much do YOU pay for water?

Yours truly,



Mr. Craig Shields