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Submission: Hi there, I'm just a Newcastle resident but I'd like to express my disbelief at the continued abuse of Hunter water. There's no sense in sending mega litres of water AND millions of dollars to Sydney, where is Newcastle supposed to be getting the money? (Aside from treasury) We have no cruise ship port, no public transport as it too has been entirely contracted to Keolis Downer, a private company. We have air pollution in the city centre resulting from dilapidated and eroding water and waste pipes that we have no hope of fixing at current budgets and increasing the cost of water for Hunter consumers while selling the same water to Sydney at a far reduced rate actually impinges on consumer competition laws as well as seeming pretty stupid to the average taxpayer. Good luck with your review, hope you get restructured into a company with a hope at making profits in the next decade or at least fulfilling your commitment to your customers... (as opposed to just the shareholders) ■■■