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Submission: My property is 15hectares,scrub,no farming,no income,charged by council as rural residential,I am an aged pensioner.If my property is to be rated I should get a pensioner discount in line with council rates,phone,car registration etc,also I should not be charged pest controll levy(grass hopper eradication)(the property is sandy soil not suited to grass hopper breeding) a charge which should be born by primary producers,I should be able to sign a declaration that I do not have farm animals in order that yearly return could be done away with,my property has never been used for farming and never likely to be.