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Canberrans for Power Station Relocation Inc (CPR Inc) today sent a letter to all MLA's expressing concerns about what it perceives as threats made by Mr Barr and Mr Stanhope.

Both Mr Stanhope and Mr Barr have stated that compensation would be due to the proponents if the proposal to build a gas fired power station and data warehouses on broadacre Tuggeranong Block 1671 was to be stopped.

CPR inc considers that if compensation was needed in this situation it could only be as a result of the breach of a promise made by the government to the developers in respect of this proposal.

If such a promise had been made - it would prove that the government has interfered with this "independent" process, contrary to the claim made recently by Mr Stanhope.

Of greater concern is that Mr Stanhope has either recently signed or intends to sign the Option on the Lease Agreement which may allow the proponents some level of compensation should the proposal be stopped.

The letter went on to request that the majority MLA's who were voted into the Assembly on the promise of stopping this proposal now proactively deliver on this promise.

Attached to the letter was a summary of the key events which indicate why this proposal should not advance.

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Media note: attached is a copy of the letter to the MLA's dated 13 November, 2008 including a summary of events.