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Department of Water and Environmental Regulation
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re: Plastic Bag Ban,

To Whom It May Concern,

According to the United Nations Environment Programme 'there is little evidence to suggest that products labelled as biodegradable will significantly decrease the volume of plastic entering the ocean'. Why then is the Western Australian Plastic Bag Ban legislation continuing it's ban to under-30 microns bags?

I urge you to extend the ban to all carry bags made of plastic (there are alternatives). I further urge you to consider restricting the use of plastic in all packaging, and to encourage the recycling of glass containers by introducing a refund scheme similar to that in practice in South Australia.

Respectfully,

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(ANNIE NUTTER).