

Agricultural Competitiveness White Paper – Submission IP219
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To whom it may concern:

To secure food security in this country, the government needs to immediately limit foreign ownership to 49% of any investment in agriculture. Australia earlier benefited from foreign investment but now other sovereign nations are seeking to benefit from our efforts and shore up food security for their nation.

Rural people need support : increased services to support vibrant communities; subsidies in challenging years; promotion of farming which increases soil health and grows nutritious food. Minimum prices should be set for farm produce.

Free trade with nations of much greater population is untenable. We need to preserve the standard of living which has made Australia a great place to live. When we can't compete with lower wages, we should protect all industries with tariffs.

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