

GAS WATCH 47.

Sydney Gas claims:

***“SCHOOL KIDS ARE MORE DANGEROUS
THAN METHANE GAS WELLS,
BECAUSE KIDS FART !”***

IS SYDNEY GAS SERIOUS?

**SYDNEY GAS HAS SUNK TO A NEW LOW AND, WHAT’S MORE, THINKS
THE BROKE COMMUNITY STINKS.**

Sydney Gas attempts to minimalise the danger of explosion from its methane gas well sites adjacent to the vineyard village of Broke in the Hunter Valley, saying that “kids at the nearby school would leak more methane gas from their back passages than would leak from this well”.

This comment is arrogant, stupid, infantile, shows no respect for the people or the school children of the village of Broke, shows no respect for the environment, and has done as much to damage relations between the community and Sydney Gas as any other statement of Sydney Gas, including the General Manager saying last week: “I would not like this in my backyard.”

A report of this very Broke gas well leaking methane gas was made about 18 months ago. Two days after the report of leaking, the well was attended and we assume the leak repaired. If this is not correct, perhaps Sydney Gas can tell us so.

The community goes to Sydney Gas with real concerns of explosive gases, as warned by Sydney Gas at their wellheads, and the General Manager treats the concern with scorn and flippancy, and treats the community with contempt.

Sydney Gas says that the risk of explosion is negligible.

A negligible risk, this close to a school and a village, is TOO GREAT!

Have a look at this and see if you agree: (<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=wQOiJ3Ne7j0&NR=1>)

Whilst the gas fire shown there is of gas under pressure, and the methane coming from the Sydney Gas wells will not be initially under pressure, it shows that things can go wrong in this world.

It must be a real worry for Sydney Gas to have this danger to their methane gas well from the children of the nearby school passing wind (and, if Sydney Gas ever bothered to check its facts, would find that more than 66% of people do not pass methane gas (Dr. J. Roth, Ch.17 Gastroenterology, v.4 1976).).

SYDNEY GAS CONTINUES TO SHOW NO RESPECT FOR THE COMMUNITY.

**DON'T SIGN ANYTHING SYDNEY GAS PUTS IN FRONT OF YOU. SEEK
INDEPENDENT LEGAL ADVICE.**

**FREE LEGAL ADVICE IS AVAILABLE BY SOLICITORS RETAINED BY HB
GAG.**

**KEEP SYDNEY GAS OUT OF BROKE.
Sydney Gas simply doesn't care.**

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