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Dear Sir

I would like to **STRONGLY SUPPORT** the introduction of a plastic bag ban. This should also cover the poor quality fabric-type reuseable bags which are currently being used as a substitute. Some of these are made with plastic which is not biodegradable.

Coles and Woolworths currently give out brown-grey plastic bags which are belived to degrade in landfill. **THIS IS NOT THE CASE**; however DWER should promote bags which genuinely do biodegrade, not just break down into small plastic pieces or only break down by applying heat.

The community should also be urged to not use plastic at all in landfill, particularly stored bags as currently issued.

Yours, Martin Dickie
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