

D64 Jervis Bay Planning and Protection Committee

History	The Jervis Bay Planning and Protection Committee was formed in June 1972 to oppose the establishment of a steelworks and associated industrial development in the Jervis Bay area. The Committee further sought the protection of the natural environment of the Bay and the plan for its future as a tourist centre and recreational ground.
Record Summary	Correspondence 1972-75; transcripts of and submissions to the Committee of Inquiry into the urban and industrial development of Jervis Bay 1975; newspaper clippings 1971-75; printed material 1970-75.
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1 Correspondence. 1972-75. 3cm.

- 1 Letters received by the Committee. 1974-75.
- 2 Letters sent by the Committee. 1974-75.
- 3 Letters and press releases relating to the Committee of Inquiry. 1972-75.
- 4 Letters relating to Jervis Bay and Armco. 1974-75.

2 Committee of Inquiry – transcripts. 1975. 9cm.

A Commonwealth Committee of Inquiry into the industrial and urban development of Jervis Bay was appointed in 1974 to report on the effects of development in the area. The Committee was comprised of J. Kerin M.H.R. (Chairman), P. Morris M.H.R. and I. Robinson M.H.R.

- 1 Hearing held at Nowra 7 Mar 1975 (2 copies).
- 2 Hearing held at Nowra 8 Mar 1975 (2 copies).
- 3 Hearing held at Canberra 30 May 1975.
- 4 Hearing held at Canberra 4 Jun 1975.
- 5 Hearing held at Canberra 18 Jun 1975.

3 Committee of Inquiry – submissions. 1975. 8cm.

Within its terms of reference, the Committee of Inquiry examined submissions from individuals, organisations, business firms and government departments concerned with the Jervis Bay area.

- 1 Australian Conservation Foundation. Jan 1975.
- 2 Australian Fishing Industry Council (N.S.W. Branch). Feb 1975.
- 3 Australian Littoral Society. Jan 1975.
- 4 Australian National University – Research School of Biological Sciences. Mar 1975.
- 5 Australian National University – Skindiving Club. Jun 1975.
- 6 Australian Underwater Federation.
- 7 Callala Beach Progress Association. Jan 1975.

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- 8 Canberra College of Advanced Education. May 1975.
- 9 Department of Capital Territory. Mar 1975.
- 10 Department of Defence. Mar 1975.
- 11 Department of Urban and Regional Development. Apr 1975.
- 12 J. Harsant.
- 13 Illawarra Regional Advisory Council. Feb 1975.
- 14 Jervis Bay Anti-Pollution Committee.
- 15 Jervis Bay Planning and Protection Committee. Mar 1975.
- 16 N. Mould. Jan 1975.
- 17 National Parks Association of A.C.T. Jan 1975.
- 18 National Parks Association of N.S.W. Jan 1975.
- 19 National Trust of Australia (N.S.W.) Jan 1975.
- 20 Nowra District Fishermen's Co-Operative. Jan 1975.
- 21 Nowra Sportfishing Club/Shoalhaven Ex-Servicemen's Amateur Fishing Club.
- 22 Pacific Seaweeds Pty. Ltd. Feb 1975.
- 23 Shoalhaven Conservation Society. Jan 1975.
- 24 Shoalhaven Professional Fishermen's Association / Crookhaven River Oyster Farmers' Association. Jan 1975.
- 25 Shoalhaven Rivers' Protection Committee. Jan 1975.
- 26 Shoalhaven Shire Council. Mar 1975.
- 27 A.L. Thurboon.
- 28 J. Toon for Realty Realization Ltd. Feb 1975.
- 29 Ulladulla Fishermen's Co-Operative. Jan 1975.

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4 Environmental Reports. 1971-75. 6cm.

As a consequence of its activities, the Jervis Bay Planning and Protection Committee collected reports on the effect of development on the natural environment.

- 1 The Illawarra Regional Park. Illawarra Natural History Society and South Coast Conservation Society. Dec 1971.
- 2 Beach Mining in the Proposed Myall Lakes National Park.
- 3 Report on Jervis Bay Port Study – Department of Public Works (N.S.W). May 1972.
- 4 Plan Illawarra. State Planning Authority of N.S.W. Oct 1972.
- 5 Huskisson Sewerage Scheme and appendix (2 vols). Shoalhaven Shire Council. Dec 1972.
- 6 Shoalhaven Shire Regional Setting. Shoalhaven Shire Council. Sep 1973.
- 7 Site 7200. Shellharbour Municipal Council. Feb 1975.
- 8 Development Pressures on Jervis Bay. Seventh Report of House of Representatives Standing Committee on Environment and Conservation. 1975.
- 9 Report on the National Estate. Committee of Inquiry into National Estate. 1974.

5 Newspaper Clippings. 1971-75. 5cm.

Collection of newspaper clippings relating to the proposed development of a steelworks at Jervis Bay and to the general development of the natural environment.

- 1 1971-72.
- 2 1973.
- 3 1974.
- 4 1975.

6 Journal Articles. 1970-74. 5cm.

Copies of journal articles largely relating to the proposed establishment of a steelworks at Jervis Bay by Armco.

- 1 Kramer, G. "Armco Steel Facility Features Pollution Control." Civil Engineering – A.S.C.E. Jun 1970.

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- 2 - "Coal Goes Inter-Continental." Mining. Oct 1970.
- 3 Dugteren, T. "Jervis Bay Steelworks and the Banana Republicans." Australian Quarterly. Mar 1971.
- 4 - Australian Quarterly. Jun 1971.
- 5 Senate. Select Committee on Foreign Ownership and Control. Jun 1972.
- 6 South Coast Conservation Society. The Smoke Signal. Vol.III, No. IX, Sep 1972.
- 7 - The Shoalhaven Diary. May 1974.

7 Miscellanea

- 1 Rough notes, letter drafts and background material relating to the activities of the Jervis Bay Planning and Protection Committee.
- 2 Presidential minute submitted to Shoalhaven Shire Council on 21 Aug 1972 by the Shire President, John Hatton.
- 3 Photocopy of notes used by J. Steinke for a speech on the proposed steelworks for Jervis Bay.
- 4 Carbon copy typescript of an article entitle "A Steelworks for Jervis Bay – Hope you haven't been holding your breath.
- 5 Photocopy of Parish Map of the Beecroft Peninsula, Jervis Bay.
- 6 Photocopy of map indicating land ownership around Jervis Bay.
- 7 Photocopy of map of the Hare Bay area of Jervis Bay.
- 8 Photocopy of County of St. Vincent map from W. Baker Australian Atlas (1848).

8 Cassette recording – Jervis Bay, a positive statement of values. 1972. 120mins.

Cassette recording of a public meeting entitled: Jervis Bay – a positive statement of values. The meeting was held at the Nowra School of Arts on 29 September 1972 and was chaired by Dr. K. Ausburn of Wollongong University College. J. Steinke, T. Van Dugtergen, M. Dunphy, J. Feros and P. Sutton addressed the meeting, on various aspects of the proposal by Armco to develop a steelworks at Jervis Bay.