From:
To: Seaplar

Subject: Seaplanes on Lake Burley Griffin

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Dear Sir

I hope the proposal to allow seaplanes to land on Lake Burley Griffin is not approved.

At the moment, as I understand it, no noisy speedboats (except Police boats) are allowed on the lake, which preserves the tranquillity of the area especially for walkers and cyclists around the edge, and a variety of small sailboats on the lake.

Disturbance by noisy and smelly planes coming and going would definitely spoil this, and I can only imagine how difficult it might be for young inexperienced sailors to get out of the way of a seaplane in a hurry.

I am sure the pilots would be experienced, but accidents can and do happen with small planes, and surely the lake is not the best place for putting this possibility to the test.

I hope the proposal will not be approved.

Yours truly

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