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To: [Flood Inquiry](#)
Subject: Floods question
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Hello, I would like to submit the following question to the Inquiry on NSW floods:

In 2007 The ABC reported that the government under Malcolm Turnbull had made a \$10M investment in a Russian company offering ionisation technology promoted by The Australian Rain Corporation:

<https://www.abc.net.au/news/2007-11-20/turnbull-pumps-10m-into-rainmaking-gamble/731004>

Here are my questions:

Is the Australian Government, any of its agencies, or any of its contractors, or any overseas contractors, currently using, or has The Government or any of the associated parties listed above recently used (within the last 3 years), any technology designed to increase rainfall?

If Yes, which technologies were or are being used; where are such technologies being used, and which persons or departments in the Government are approving where, when, and how these rain producing technologies are used?

Thank you for opening this important inquiry. I feel lucky to live in a free and open liberal democracy like Australia where there is no chance that any information about such important questions is ever concealed from the Australian public.

Signed,