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**In response to the downgrading of WA's credit rating, Premier Colin Barnett and Treasurer Mike Nahan confirmed the government was considering the privatisation of Western Power's poles and wires.**

**Barnett will try to sell this as an economic reform, but everyone knows that this is all about cleaning up the massive mess he created of the state budget, as he tries to get himself another term in office.**

**Privatisation is not the solution for the government's debt problems.**

**IT WILL ONLY lead to higher prices and poorer quality services as private companies try to squeeze every last dollar of profit for their shareholders. This could result in many parts of the network being left to decay, with disastrous consequences during bushfire season.**

### **Get Active**

**In the weeks and months ahead, we'll be asking you to use your power to stop privatisation and we'll be asking you to join us in a range of activities.**

**First up, we are asking you to email your local member of State Parliament and tell them how you feel about privatisation. Using our simple online tool, you just put in your postcode, and our system finds the email address of your local MP. We then provide you with a draft email that you can edit or send as is.**

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