



**Labor kicks Eyre Peninsula – again
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Member for Flinders Liz Penfold blasted the inequity of the State Labor Government's rebate scheme for the purchase of water saving devices.

"The rebate scheme allows the purchase of water saving devices at a rebate of \$10 each. Buying three effectively wipes out the cost of a householder's water levy.

"The scheme will operate from 1 July 2003 for the whole of the state" she said

Mrs Penfold said Eyre Peninsula had had water restrictions for several months and most people have already installed water saving devices for which they will receive no rebate.

"Once again, this is a measure that benefits the rest of the state, particularly the metropolitan area, at the expense of Eyre Peninsula," she said.

Mrs Penfold said no rebates or other assistance were offered to this region when our water restrictions were put in place.

"This is just another demonstration of Labor's lack of social justice, especially for families who live on Eyre Peninsula," she said.