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## Lucas to climb for eco cause



**Mountain mission:** Aussie starlet Isabel Lucas

AUSSIE actress Isabel Lucas is teaming up with American starlet Jessica Biel to climb Africa's highest mountain, Kilimanjaro, to raise awareness of the global shortage of clean drinking water.

The 24-year-old beauty, who has dated some of Hollywood's hottest young bachelors, has put movie scripts aside to focus on lobbying governments to protect the environment.

She is also an ambassador for the Protect Our Coral Sea campaign, which aims to establish a marine park east of the Great Barrier Reef.

"I love the environment, and I want to be able to protect it," Lucas told *Grazia* magazine. "It feels like the right time, and I've been able to give more time to my passion for the environment."

## Sunbed campaign

A TRUCKIE who survived a melanoma he allegedly developed from using a solarium sunbed has launched a campaign to ban sunbeds.

Jay Allen, 34, who was diagnosed with stage-three melanoma two years ago, wrote to Prime Minister Kevin Rudd urging the Federal Government to outlaw the beds.

Mr Allen has taken over the battle to ban solariums begun by Clare Oliver, who died from melanoma in 2007 at the age of 26.

The tanning industry in Australia has already faced regulation since her death.

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