

An urban dynamic is anything that takes place in a city to change its way of living.

One example of an urban dynamic is evident in the stimulus booklet. It is

taking place in the New Zealand city of ~~Christchurch~~ Christchurch. The urban

dynamic is urban ^{sprawl} ~~deprivation~~. ~~This~~ *

~~is known as the state of being worse off than the society in which one lives.~~ →

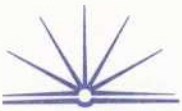
A second example of an urban dynamic is in Sydney. The suburb of Pyrmont

has undergone urban renewal. This is the renewal of an old, ^{run-down} ~~unattractive~~

area which ~~is~~ once suffered urban decay.

The urban renewal project that has been taking place in Pyrmont over

the past ten years has been very effective in increasing Pyrmont's

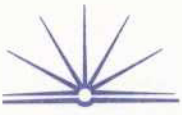


population, revitalising the atmosphere and streetlife of Pyrmont, and by producing more jobs, mainly due to the establishment of Star City Casino.

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Urban Sprawl is a problem in many large cities. It is the result of over-population in a certain area which causes people to move to housing with cheap rent and a small amount of living space. Urban sprawl has also resulted in a large amount of unemployment in Christchurch, with many families suffering from



low income. The Christchurch urban area has gradually been suffering from Deprivation which is the state of being worse off than the society in which you live. This is the main reason for urban sprawl.

Urban Sprawl, in this case, is not a good thing. It is resulting in more people who are more deprived, moving to areas which once only suffered a small amount of deprivation. Without action, this could result in almost all suburbs of Christchurch suffering from deprivation.

The urban dynamic operating in Sydney is very different to the one operating in Christchurch. Urban renewal has had a very positive effect whereas urban sprawl hasn't.