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To: <u>Legal Affairs and Community Safety Committee</u> **Subject:** Electoral and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2015

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Sir/Madam of the committee

What is the value of your vote?

As Australians and Queenslanders we have pride in our systems that are open to us – some of them may not be all that great but it is better than nothing.

The requirement for us to identify ourselves as we partake of our election duties will be diminished by the removal of identity verification on election day.

The opportunity for the door of fraudulent activities will be open in many communities, if this is removed. I also question the motives behind this legislation amendment.

What is the real agenda for diminishing the integrity of the voting system that we currently have?

You need proof of identity in all areas of value in society – Drivers Licence, Passport, Banking Accounts and all other financial activities, major purchases – house, car, businesses stocks and bonds etc so why not our vote or do you not value what you have taken for granted.

Regards Robert

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