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Dear all, I have just heard that the Queensland parliament has passed, or is considering passing a motion about not requiring ID when voting in elections.

Why would parliament want to do that? ID is required in many situations like opening a bank account or sending a parcel overseas. People are used to providing ID in important situations. I am worried that unscrupulous people will forge other people's names, or vote in their place - something they could do over and over again. I would have thought that the government would want each member of the public to have only one vote.

This is really important since voting for some seats is so close these days. I am asking you to retain the need to show ID when voting. Again, I would like to know why you would want to open up a channel to dishonest voting.

Yours faithfully,

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