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Sir,

On March 27<sup>th</sup> the new Attorney General, Yvette D'Ath, tabled a bill that will among other things:

reinstate the \$1,000 gift threshold amount, backdated to 21 November 2013

remove voter proof of identity requirements, and

remove voter proof of identity requirements for local government elections

All three of the above purposes are objectionable. In particular removing the voter proof of identity requirement.

I completely oppose the bill, particular on voter ID and reducing the threshold for political donations to a trivial \$1,000 is a time wasting and expensive idea which catches normal mum and dad donors, whereas the current threshold is around \$12,000 which matches federal election law.

Regards

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