

From: [Tim Young](#)
To: [Legal Affairs and Community Safety Committee](#)
Subject: Electoral and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2015
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Good morning,

I write in support of the current requirement for voters to provide an item of identification when casting their vote. I urge you to not make any significant changes to the present arrangements. These provide an element of security and help prevent intentional corruption. As an electoral official at the last election, having clear evidence of a person's name provided a more efficient and streamlined approach with great clarity as to the name of the voter being marked as voted. The last election was the first where identification was required and the overwhelming majority brought the Electoral Commission letter or some other I.d. For the small number that didn't, they have now learnt to come prepared and to remove this requirement would appear to be an about-face and cast aspersions on the government's integrity and efficiency.

Please do not change the need for voters to have verifiable identification at the polling booths, for Ordinary Votes.

Yours sincerely,

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