Electoral Reform Amendment Bill 2013 Submission 047

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In a free and fair democracy all people must have an equal opportunity to vote. The proposed laws could have discriminatory effects on who is, and who isn't, able to vote - and the worst impact will likely be on those who live in remote communities, those who are elderly, young, disabled, homeless, or just move house frequently. Does the Committee know how what percentage of people from these groups may not be able to cast a vote if the laws are introduced?

