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The proposed changes to require more stringent ID to vote would prevent a significant number of eligible Queenslanders from voting. This is a basic right in our democracy, and barriers to voting should not be introduced.

As well as the effect on individuals, there is an equity issue as this proposal would affect some sectors of our community to a much greater extent than others, e.g. people of low socio-economic status, indigenous people, young people and elderly people.

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