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G'day folks,

I was born in Qld and served for over 22 yrs in the Military. I presently live in [REDACTED] Qld.

Compulsory voting should not be changed. (I have met folks from overseas who envy us for our compulsory voting)

As an ex shift worker I would support having more than one day for voting. But giving folks the lazy option of not voting is wrong.

In regards voting over the internet.....No way. I worked in IT for a couple of years.... Keep it as it is. We trust the present system.

The internet is never 100% safe no matter how good your virus protection. Keep voting via paper ballot.

In regards donation caps. My personal view is that everyone who donates to any political party should be made public knowledge. I don't know enough at present to consider changing the present laws.

Also.... every politician who has free plane trips overseas as freebies should be made public.

Australian Democracy should be our politicians making a difference and looking after their voters. It is not about making a dollar and looking after cashed up lobbyists.

Its a bit scary that some folks think that following examples from the US or the UK in regards politics is a good thing.

Regards

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