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To whom it may concern

I object to the changes in Queensland's electoral laws for the following reasons:

The laws will create confusion as voting in federal elections is still compulsory It will be difficult to estimate the voter turnout on election day and this will result in long queues which will discouraging people from voting The current laws have worked well and I can see little reason for change It will allow extremist groups to mobilise voters and distort the election result It will entrench the privilege of wealthy individuals who may make significant donations to reinforce their views It will silence community groups and trade unions who often support the poor and disadvantaged.
I urge you not to change the electoral laws for these reasons.

Yours faithfully
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