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Electoral Reform

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Electoral Reform - feedback

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Removing working conditions, sacking public servants by the thousands, jobs for the 'mates' (and family), closing nursing homes, changing Labour Day, and now talk of abolishing compulsory voting. Why am I not surprised?!

I am very dubious about a state government making so many legislative changes and now they are keen to attack compulsory voting. "If it ain't broke, don't fix it". Compulsory voting has been in Qld for close on 100 years and apparently works quite well. It is easy to see that the State government is using its power to try to keep that power. I am so glad I didn't vote for LNP - I can sleep well at night with my decision. However I think many a Qld'r who did vote LNP are seriously regretting theirs.

In case you are in any doubt about my opinion here it is: - DO NOT MAKE CHANGES TO COMPULSORY VOTING.

Bring on 2015 - eagerly awaiting the next State election (compulsory voting or not!)

From a very concerned hard-working, tax-paying Queenslander....