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Committee Secretary
Joint Standing Committee on Constitutional Recognition of Local Government
Department of House of Representatives
PO Box 6021
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Dear committee members,

Re: Constitutional Recognition of Local Government ... S 96.

An amendment to Section 96 of our Constitution as proposed would be a disaster.

Such an amendment would allow the Political Party holding a majority of seats in the Federal Parliament to influence the outcome of a Federal Election by "pork barreling" an electorate they considered a winnable but marginal seat.

Such an outcome is NOT in the public interest.

Regards

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