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Subject Letter

Dear AEC,

Please find attached a letter concering the proposed changes to the Braddon & Lyons divisions

Thanking you Steve Martin

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The Australian Electoral Commission, GPO Box 520, Hobart, TAS 7001.

Dear Commission,

## PROPOSED BOUNDARY CHANGES LYONS & BRADDON

I am not in agreeance with any boundary changes unless the changes do not affect any elector or community already in Braddon, that is, to be transferred into another electorate for the sake of inclusion of others from another region.

To transfer an elector or community out of its electorate so as to advantage another is undemocratic. The people and community of Latrobe have strong ties in Braddon and have invested in the division for many years and an exclusion from Braddon would place the municipality in an increased isolated area in Lyons, compared to what they already enjoy.

If changes were to be made, the only way I would agree to it would be for the inclusion of the West Coast area without any exclusion of electors and communities already in Braddon, this would mean the change of percentage of electors in a division.

Thanking you

Steve Martin