



The Federal Redistribution 2009  
**QUEENSLAND**



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**Objection Number 96**

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Australian Electoral Commission  
Deputy Commissioner

Re: Redistribution in the Seat of Herbert.

I wish to lodge my objection to the proposed changes in the electoral boundaries.

It flies in the face of common sense to have the elected rep for parts of Townsville positioned in Mackay - a distance of about 400 km away. That makes it very difficult to be able to attend the office to speak to my elected representative - who will naturally have more interest in the area where he/she lives. If we lived in a small town I could understand the logistics of it, but Townsville is a large city, thriving and growing. To give us less access to our representative seems to me to be for the benefit of things politically driven and not community progressive. As Townsville grows it is feasible in the future changes may be necessary - that time is not now.

Yours sincerely  
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