



The Federal Redistribution 2009  
**QUEENSLAND**



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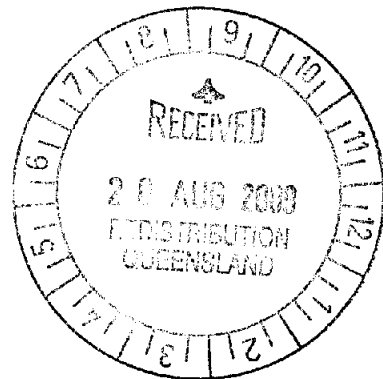
**Objection Number 401**

**Glen and Kim Langfeldt**

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The Australian Electoral Commission  
GPO Box 2590  
BRISBANE QLD 4001



Dear Australian Electoral Commissioner,

I am writing to you in relation to the proposed redistribution in the seat of Herbert.

I wish to lodge an objection to these proposed changes which would see significant parts of Townsville become a part of the division of Dawson.

These are the reasons for my objection:

- No local federal contact or office
- votes for issues related to Mackay not for local issues. — Why would our interests or concerns be with Mackay when we live in Townsville 3 hrs away?
- Definite feeling of exclusion from the rest of our community when the changes only effect such a small amount of the Townsville community — Why would a Mackay based MP have our best interests at heart? We will be pushed to the corner & forgotten especially when the majority of their votes will come from the Mackay region.
- We live in Townsville, we pay our rates in Townsville, we should remain apart of the Federal seat of Herbert. Any other decision is not in the best interest of the people & the voters who are directly affected by this beaurocratic decision.

Yours sincerely

Name..... Glen & Kim Langfeldt

Address..... 29 Glendale Drive,

..... ANNANDALE, TOWNVILLE, QLD 4814.

Signature..... *[Handwritten signature]*

Dear Annandale Resident

## PROPOSED FEDERAL ELECTORAL BOUNDARY CHANGES

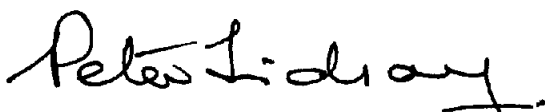
The Australian Electoral Commission is proposing new boundaries that will see the suburbs of Annandale and Wulguru (with the exception of Lavarack Barracks) shifted from your current Federal electorate of Herbert to the Mackay-based Federal electorate of Dawson.

If this proposal is adopted, it will mean you will have a Federal Member of Parliament representing Annandale from an office 400 kilometres away in Mackay.

If you think this is wrong you can help to convince the Australian Electoral Commission that Annandale must not be taken out of the seat of Herbert.

Please find a form on the other side of this letter. You can use this to lodge an objection to the proposed changes. Please complete this form and return to me in the reply-paid envelope provided.

Best regards

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Peter Lindsay". The signature is written in a cursive style with a horizontal line under the name.

Peter Lindsay MP