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I am writing to lodge an objection to the name of 'Bean' for the third ACT seat.

I can understand why the name was chosen and respect the person after whom it is proposed to name the seat. However, the name 'Bean' is more popularly associated with 'Bean counting' or the comic 'Mr Bean' aka Rowan Atkinson. Naming the seat 'Bean' is more likely to reduce the standing of Canberra with other Australians rather than enhance it.

Paddy Gourley writing in the Canberra Times suggested instead naming the new seat 'Wilson'. His reasons for suggesting these are sound.

Yours sincerely

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