OBJECTION

The Federal Redistribution 2009



Objection Number 171

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OBJECTION TO CHANGES OF BOUNDARY FOR FEDERAL

SEAT OF PATERSON.

Re Para 105.

THE FISHING PARTY {T.F.P.] Objects to the loss of 534 electors from Duckenfield and Berry Park to the Newcastle Electorateon the following grounds:-

- Paterson is a Rural TO Semi Rural Electorate, and to move these electors outof this Sociological Milleneu, and make them part of an urban Conurbation of 600.000 as Newcastle is. Would be to deny them their unique sociological identity.
- 2. This unique identityof Rural Values would be lost in the mass ofheavily urbanised voters, and see them disadvantaged as a Social Minority unable to assert their special needs and interests of transport ,education , sport, recreation-fishing, and adequateBush Fire Protection. 3 Any additional voters that have to be added to Newcastle electorate should come from the existing urban areas of the Hunter eg. Maitland. 4.To transfer voters from Duckenfield and Berry Park, [Rural Identity] to an Urban electorate -Newcastle and then to transfer voters from an urban location to Paterson from Maitland defies common sense. The rural and Semi-Rural areas of Duckenfield and Berry Park should remain in Paterson.

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