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Details: I would like to strongly voice my disagreement with the renaming of the electorate of Franklin to Tongerlongeter.

The AECs own guidelines provide that every possible effort should be made to retain electorate names dating to the Federation. Given, Franklin was created in 1903, it seems inexplicable that the seat should be renamed without any need.

Our Westminster system of parliament is a British invention, so renaming a seat honouring a British hero, to a First Nations individual with no connection to Australias form of representative democracy is obviously just virtue signalling on the AECs part.

Keep Franklin, Franklin
