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Submission to the Redistribution Committee for Tasmania

Thank you for the opportunity to make a submission regarding the proposed redistribution of Tasmania.

I do not support the proposal to rename the Division of Franklin to Tongerlongeter.

The Division of Franklin has existed since Federation in 1901 and is one of Australias original electoral divisions. The AECs naming guidelines recognise the importance of preserving Federation division names and state that they should not be changed except where there are compelling reasons.

I do not believe the Committee has demonstrated a compelling justification for departing from this long-standing principle. While recognising significant Australians is important, this alone is not sufficient reason to replace one of Tasmanias original Federation electorates.

For these reasons, I respectfully request that the Division retain the name Franklin.

Thank you for considering my submission.
