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Joint Standing Committee  
on Electoral Matters  
Parliament House  
Canberra ACT 2600  
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Dear Sir,

This submission is in response to the JSCEM's invitation for public comment as part of its Inquiry into the Conduct of the 2001 Federal Election.

I think it is unfair that Australians overseas have to make the effort to keep themselves on the electoral roll after 6 years away. As long as we retain our citizenship we should remain on the roll.

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