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Senator Ronaldson asked:

Thank you. Do you recall that the 2007 Australian Labor Party platform declared that “democracy depends on robust electoral laws that prevent hidden power and influence from distorting the vote.” Does that ring a bell?

Answer:

No. This quote does not appear in the 2007 ALP National Platform and Constitution.