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To: Committee, EM (REPS)  
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Subject: Denial of my right to vote

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Message:

To: The Committee Secretary, JSCEM

Dear Sir,

Please accept this submission for the JSCEM's Inquiry into the 2007 Federal Election.

As an expatriate Australian I wonder about the quality of our democracy when I see US presidential

candidates come to London to seek expatriate votes or Italian politicians canvassing in Australia.

Surely, as a mature democracy it is high time that Australia followed their lead and extended the

right to vote to those of us who, for the time being, choose to live overseas?