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It is time that ABC Board members were appointed by approval of 2/3 of the Senate. A Senate committee should interview candidates and members of the public to determine the appropriateness of each appointment according to criteria specified in the Act regarding independence from political or major corporate interests.

The current stacked board is ludicrous and an insult to the intelligence of the population. It is one of the ways in which the Howard Government has been seen to have failed to govern well, and will contribute to their ejection from office this year.

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