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please note that i no longer have confidence in the present ABC board.

the present system of appointment to the board is unsatisfactory, in that it allows the incumbent government to stack the board with people who are sympathetic with governments policies, and are not independent.

I call on the senate inquiry to recommend to parliament that board members be elected who are independent, not aligned to any political party.

Regards

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