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PREFACE

May we humbly draw your attention to the oath of allegiance undertaken by yourselves as written in the Australian Constitution. <http://www.aph.gov.au/senate/general/constitution/schedule.htm>

Commonwealth Of Australia Constitution Act

Schedule.

OATH

I, A.B., do swear that I will be faithful and bear true allegiance to Her Majesty Queen Victoria, Her heirs and successors according to law. SO HELP ME GOD!

INTRODUCTION

1. Our purpose in this Submission is to alert Australians to the gravity and consequences of agreeing, or succumbing to the introduction and implementation of the Access Card System. We also wish to draw attention to the validity or lack thereof, for using terrorism as justification for introducing the Access Card.
2. We as Christians have no choice but to speak out. We cannot agree to the Access System and its biometric scanning, due to our being followers of Our Lord Jesus Christ. We recognise the Access Card system as that by which individuals are to be marked out, labelled or scanned for identification *en mass* by a central agency of administration, and which will be required as a necessity for secure living and functioning in the community.
3. In speaking about the Access Card and its biometric scanning, we refer here to ***the Mark -τὸ χάραγμα*** - which is prophesized in *Revelation, the last book of the Holy Bible*, and will refer to it in this paper as ***the Mark*** from this point on.
4. We totally reject ***the Mark*** and our reasons cover two issues:
 - ***the Mark's*** arrival has been prophesized for two millennia. We submit evidence from the Holy Bible.
 - the justification for its introduction and implementation by the Federal Government is not based on solid, factual evidence. We submit evidence on the counter-terrorism issue.

ISSUE ONE

5. The principle reason we reject **the Mark** is that its arrival has been foretold in the *Book of Revelation*, where it is referred to six times¹. “Brand”, “branding”, “stamp” or “inscription” are terms which various editions of the Holy Bible have also used to refer to **the Mark**.
6. No matter what exact title it is given in different versions of the Bible - “mark”, “brand” or “inscription” - it is the *aim and function* of the system, i.e. the administering of a physical permanent surface identification mark, which we discuss in our Submission.
7. Over two thousand years of interpretation from the original Ancient Greek text², the clarity or strength of the meaning of certain words has been diluted or over-simplified.³
8. We refer specifically to *Revelation 13:16-18*. A direct translation of the original Greek text as compared to a modern, everyday English translation will show differences and possible discrepancies, and give alarming evidence of the arrival of **the Mark**. By translating directly from the original Holy Scripture, we illustrate the significance of **the Mark** as foretold by John, Apostle of Jesus Christ:

Chapter 13:16 “Indeed, he compels all people, the small as well as the great, the wealthy as well as the poor, the free men as well as the slaves, so that they entrusted and allowed upon themselves a Mark imprinted or engraved (i.e. with a permanent surface identification) on their hands or arm on the right side, or across the space between their eyes, 13:17. indeed, so that no-one is to be able to buy or sell on the market if he does not have the Mark, is joined to the notorious title of the beast, or to the ranks under its name. 13:18. Here is wisdom, broad and full of intelligence: Have possession of mind, cast your vote, with or against, the multitude of the beast, for it is a quantity of mankind: Indeed its number is six hundred and sixty-six (or two-thirds).

9. The original Ancient Greek text of *Revelation* Chapter 13:16-18 reads:

13:16 καὶ ποιεῖ πάντα, τοὺς μικροὺς καὶ τοὺς μεγάλους, καὶ τοὺς πλουσίους καὶ τοὺς πτωχοὺς, καὶ τοὺς ἐλευθέρους καὶ τοὺς δούλους, ἵνα δώσιν αὐτοῖς χάραγμα ἐπὶ τῆς χειρὸς αὐτῶν τῆς δεξιᾶς ἢ ἐπὶ τὸ μέτωπον αὐτῶν, 13:17 καὶ ἵνα μὴ τις δύνηται ἀγοράσαι ἢ πωλῆσαι εἰ μὴ ὁ ἔχων τὸ χάραγμα, τὸ

¹ Revelations: Chapters 13, paragraphs 16 and 17; Chapter 14, paragraphs 9 and 11; Chapter 16, paragraph 2; Chapter 19, paragraph 20.

² And we thank God for the thorough researchers and interpreters through the ages who have brought us the Word.

³ E.g. *The Good News Australia New Testament Revelations 13:17* says: “..unless he had this mark....the number that stands for the name”, which one might suspect is a number that stands in place instead of a person's name. Many have called this 666. Our translation indicates the number of people who have vowed their support to the name of the beast.

ὄνομα τοῦ θηρίου ἢ τὸν ἀριθμὸν τοῦ ὀνόματος αὐτοῦ.

13:18 * (=ὠδε ἡ σοφία ἐστίν: ὁ ἔχων νοῦν ψηφισάτω τὸν ἀριθμὸν τοῦ θηρίου, ἀριθμὸς γὰρ ἀνθρώπου ἐστίν: καὶ ὁ ἀριθμὸς αὐτοῦ ἑξακόσιοι ἑξήκοντα ἕξ.

10. Firstly, “τὸ μέτωπον ” as stated in Chapter 13:16 above, translates as “*the space between the eyes, the forehead, front*”.⁴ This marking or measuring of the space between the eyes has important consequences for today: it is the “distance between your pupils” that is part of the biometric data required for the Access Card, as set out on the Australian Government Website: <http://www.accesscard.gov.au/technology.html>. As we understand it, the Access Card system is to be implemented across Australia for all. The relationship of this phrase quoted from the Government website with that of the ancient text is startling.
11. Secondly, and highly relevant is from Chapter 13:17 above where no-one ***is able to buy or sell on the market if he does not have the Mark (i.e permanent surface identification)***. Again this relates to today: the Government has stated that Eftpos and ATM will be integrated into the Access Card System from the outset. Australian Banks have put in a submission for utilizing ***the Mark*** for identification and for Eftpos and ATM transactions. Therefore, an individual will not be able to open or access a bank account unless they have ***the Mark***. <http://australianit.news.com.au/articles/0,7204,20951430%5E15319%5E%5Enbv%5E,00.html>
12. In fact, without this identification, an individual will not be able to:
 - deal with any federal government agency or service (e.g. pay income tax)
 - obtain a passport, and
 - when implemented by State Governments, obtain or renew a driver’s license or car registration, buy land or rent property.
13. Without valid and recognised identification, a citizen cannot function as a member of the community. ***The Mark*** is claimed by the Federal Government as ‘non compulsory’. Yet by 2010, any individual who has not agreed to the biometric scanning across the eyes and front of their face will ***not be able to buy or sell*** goods and services, that is, pay a bill, withdraw cash, or buy food for his/ her family.
14. A third and last point relates to Chapter 13:18 above, which asks one to use discernment and to vote one way or the other: with the multitude or not. It refers to a system whereby all individuals, regardless of social or economic status, are put in a position where they have no choice but to take ***the Mark (χάραγμα)***.
15. *Revelation* Chapter 14:9-11 states that: “...*Whoever worships the beast and its image and receives the mark on his forehead or on his hand will himself drink God’s wine, the wine of his*

⁴ A Lexicon, Abridged from Liddell and Scott’s Greek-English Lexicon, Oxford University Press, London, 1909.

fury, which he has poured at full strength into the cup of his anger! All who do this will be tormented in fire and sulphur before the holy angels and the Lamb. The smoke of the fire...goes up for ever and ever..."

16. This text above, from the *Good News Australia New Testament* warns about the dire consequences of surrendering oneself to **the Mark**. There is too much direct correlation between the aim and function of the prophesized Mark and the Access Card System, for one to downplay or ignore the similarities. We, as Christians, ask that you think about the Holy Bible, and weigh and ponder heavily on this when considering the Access Card legislation.
17. Apostle John wrote as directed by God. These scriptures within *Revelation* have been preserved, venerated and adhered to for two thousand years. **The Mark** is abhorrent to God. In whatever translation, modern or ancient, our only position as Christians is to flatly refuse this system.

ISSUE TWO

18. The second reason we reject **the Mark** is that the justification for its introduction and implementation by the Federal Government, that being counter-terrorism, is not based on factual evidence.
19. The world, including the Australian public, has not yet been given evidence of those responsible for the September 11 attacks on America. In the meantime however, this is the basis upon which Prime Minister John Howard is bringing in **the Mark** as a strategy for counter-terrorism.
20. Prime Minister John Howard and Attorney General Philip Ruddock have both stated that the Access Card system will help with counter-terrorism. Mr Howard drew reference to the attacks on America on September 11, 2001. He first suggested **the Mark** after the London 7/7 bombings, but since, via the Government Access Card web page, we have been given various reasons, e.g. less time waiting in queues, and less clutter in your wallet with a single card.
21. There is no doubt America suffered a terrorist attack that day.
22. What is in doubt however, is **who was behind the attacks**. We address this below.
23. The world public has been told by the White House that Usama (Osama) Bin Laden was responsible, and yet proof has not been forthcoming:

Secretary of State Colin Powell said the Bush administration is producing a document that will contain compelling evidence showing that Saudi exile Osama bin Laden and his global terrorist network, al Qaeda, were responsible for the devastating attacks against the World Trade Center and the Pentagon.

"I think in the near future, we'll be able to put out a paper, a document, that will describe quite clearly the evidence that we have linking him to the attack," Powell said on the NBC

news program "Meet the Press." <http://archives.seattletimes.nwsourc.com/cgi-bin/texis.cgi/web/vortex/display?slug=terror24&date=20010924>

24. This promised document has never been released, if in fact it was ever written.

25. The White House released a video supposedly showing Bin Laden confessing to arranging the attacks, and yet the FBI does not accept the video 'confession' as evidence:

On June 5, 2006, the Muckraker Report contacted the FBI Headquarters, (202) 324-3000, to learn why Bin Laden's Most Wanted poster did not indicate that Usama was also wanted in connection with 9/11. The Muckraker Report spoke with Rex Tomb, Chief of Investigative Publicity for the FBI. When asked why there is no mention of 9/11 on Bin Laden's web page, Tomb said, "The reason why 9/11 is not mentioned on Usama Bin Laden's Most Wanted page is because the FBI has no hard evidence connecting Bin Laden to 9/11."

<http://www.fbi.gov/wanted/terrorists/terbinladen.htm>

<http://www.teamliberty.net/id267.html>

26. Although he insinuated that the man in the video is Bin Laden, President George W Bush did not actually state as much:

"For those who see this tape, they'll realise that not only is he guilty of incredible murder, he has no conscience and no soul, that he represents the worst of civilisation," said President George W Bush

http://news.bbc.co.uk/1/hi/world/south_asia/1708091.stm

27. Nor did: Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld:

"I think everyone can make their own judgment about it," Defense Secretary Donald Rumsfeld said. "I know what I think." <http://archives.cnn.com/2001/US/12/13/ret.bin.laden.videotape>

28. Rumsfeld also claimed evidence without releasing it:

"There was no doubt of bin Laden's responsibility for the September 11 attacks before the tape was discovered," said Secretary of Defense Donald H. Rumsfeld. http://www.defenselink.mil/releases/2001/b12132001_bt630-01.html

29. Nor: New York Mayor Rudy Giuliani (who) said that:

"the tape removes any doubt that the U.S. military campaign targeting bin Laden and his associates is more than justified."

<http://www.teamliberty.net/id267.html>

30. In the 'confession' video the man portrayed as Bin Laden is writing with his right hand. According to the FBI's Most Wanted, Bin Laden is left handed.
http://www.npr.org/ramfiles/war/binladen_exact.ram
31. Also in the video the man's nose is flat and broad whereas Bin Laden's nose is longer and thinner. <http://www.whatreallyhappened.com/osamatape.html>
32. The Official 'conspiracy theory' is just that, a theory and not a very good one.
33. Based on this theory Australia invaded Afghanistan, a country that had never threatened us in any way. We trusted our very close friends and wanted to help. We believed that the threat had to be faced. We believed too readily and we went on believing.
34. We then believed that these terrorist monsters had links to Iraq. That Iraq had 'Weapons of Mass Destruction'. Chemical, Biological and Nuclear weapons. Weapons that could be deployed within 45 minutes. This proved to be false.
35. The "human shredding machine" spoken of by Prime Minister John Howard. Totally unsubstantiated according to Brendan O'Neill in the Guardian:
<http://www.guardian.co.uk/analysis/story/0,3604,1155399,00.html>
<http://72.14.235.104/search?q=cache:-QgllKp1WSsJ:www.pm.gov.au/news/speeches/speech79.html+%22John+Howard%22+%22human-shredding+machine%22&hl=en&ct=clnk&cd=1&client=safari>
36. Based on these untruths, Australia invaded Iraq, another country that had never threatened us. We and our friends killed thousands of innocent people. We took control of their resources and handed these resources to oil companies. We promised to 'rebuild' what we had destroyed on the condition that they must pay in oil. And blood.
37. Now Prime Minister John Howard tells us we must biometrically scan the entire population to protect our 'Homeland' from the same enemy. The elusive, unknown enemy that are lurking nearby - maybe that Middle Eastern looking fellow over there. Maybe even someone you know.
38. So the Australian public must follow the lead of our good friends the Americans and the British. We must scan the population within three years. We must adhere to international standards. We must comply. <http://www.accesscard.gov.au/faq.html>

39. This justification for the Mark is all based on a theory. A theory that defies the laws of physics:
<http://stj911.org>
<http://stj911.org/hypotheses/alternative.html>
40. This is all based on a theory that has never been properly tested.
<http://911research.wtc7.net/essays/nist/index.html>
41. A theory that increasingly more and more people are questioning. Good people. Honest people. Patriots who love their country and have served it well. Senators. Generals. Scientists. Engineers. Professors. Theologians.
<http://patriotsquestion911.com/>
42. President Bush told us: *"This will be a monumental struggle of good versus evil."* This could well be true.
<http://www.whitehouse.gov/news/releases/2001/09/20010912-4.html>
43. President Bush also intimidated and threatened: *"You are either with us or you are against us in the fight against terror."*
<http://www.whitehouse.gov/news/releases/2001/11/20011106-4.html>
44. The Official 9/11 Commission was compromised from the start. *The 9/11 commission members were appointed by George W. Bush, with input from Congress, which led to the criticism that it was not a truly independent commission. The commission stated in its report that "[their] aim has not been to assign individual blame," a judgement which some critics believed would obscure the facts of the matter in a nod to consensus politics. Some members of victims' families have claimed that the commission has numerous conflicts of interest.*
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/9/11_Commission
45. For example: *Chairman Thomas Kean has served on the Board of Directors of the National Endowment for Democracy, a long-time conduit of CIA covert operations abroad. Kean also has a history of investments that link him to Saudi Arabian investors who have financially supported both George W. Bush and Osama bin Laden in the past. One example is his former business connections to Khalid bin Mahfouz, an alleged terrorist financier.*
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/9/11_Commission
46. Even Thomas Kean and Lee Hamilton, the former chairman and vice chairman of the 9/11 Commission, stated in their book, titled 'Without Precedent' : The Commission was *"Set up to fail."*
[Associated Press, 8/4/2006]
http://www.cooperativeresearch.org/entity.jsp?entity=thomas_kean

47. *While President Bush and Vice President Cheney did ultimately agree to testify, they did so only under several conditions:*

- *They would be allowed to testify jointly;*
- *They would not be required to take an oath before testifying;*
- *The testimony would not be recorded electronically or transcribed, and that the only record would be notes taken by one of the commission staffers;*
- *These notes would not be made public.*

The Commission agreed to these conditions, and the President and Vice President gave their testimony on April 29.

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/9/11_Commission

48. The 9/11 Commission still has no explanation for the collapse of World Trade Center Building 7. The owner Larry Silverstein stated on PBS 'Rebuilding American': *"I remember getting a call from the Fire Department Commander telling me that they were not sure they were going to be able to contain the fire. I said, you know we've had such terrible loss of life. Maybe the smartest thing to do is 'pull it'. And they made that decision to pull. And then we watched the building collapse."* http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=w7he_sAVs0A
<http://video.google.com/videoplay?docid=1822764959599063248>

49. WTC Building Seven is the only large steel framed building to ever collapse from fire alone. WTC7 was the third building to collapse in New York on September 11. It was a 47 story sky scraper that fell in 6.6 seconds. Those 'in the know' have seen the video. Have you?
<http://physics911.net/stevenjones>
<http://wtc7.net/videos.html>

50. WTC Building Seven housed the Securities and Exchange Commission who had the files and data on the investigations into Enron Corp. and World Com. Tenants also included U.S. Secret Service and the C.I.A.
<http://physics911.net/stevenjones>
<http://www.cnn.com/SPECIALS/2001/trade.center/tenants7.html>

51. Norman Mineta's Presidential Emergency Operations Center (PEOC) testimony was edited out of the 9/11 Commission video archive. When questioned about this, representatives at the National Archive stated that the video may have been lost because of a 'snafu' (confused or chaotic state; a mess).

52. In the Official 9/11 Commission, Mineta responds to an opening question by Commissioner Hamilton about the events in the PEOC and an alleged shoot down order. He describes a conversation between Cheney and a young man:

Mineta: "During the time that the airplane was coming into the Pentagon, there was a young man who would come in and say to the Vice President...the plane is 50 miles out..."

the plane is 30 miles out....and when it got down to the plane is 10 miles out, the young man also said to the vice president "do the orders still stand?" And the Vice President turned and whipped his neck around and said "Of course the orders still stand, have you heard anything to the contrary!?"

Norman Yoshio Mineta, United States Secretary of Transportation - 2001/2006

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Norman_Mineta

<http://www.911truthmovement.org/archives/2005/07/post.php>

<http://youtube.com/watch?v=SUqbOgFiPDI>

CONCLUSION

53. This document only covers a very small portion of the many and various unexplained questions around September 11 and the subsequent invasion of Afghanistan and Iraq. The London 7/7 bombings with no public inquiry, followed by the implementation of a National ID Card, is a whole new subject. We feel it all points to a sinister and evil situation. Bush referred to this evil. Bush is a self confessed member of the secretive and reportedly Satanic 'Skull and Bones' society. As for Bush's referral to the struggle between Good and Evil? We honestly wonder and question on which side are he and his inner team.

54. If an individual complies with this legislation they are directly disobeying God's wishes and if they don't, they are unable to participate or even exist as a member of the Australian community.

55. Australian Constitution - Section 116 - *Commonwealth not to legislate in respect of religion.*

The Commonwealth shall not make any law for establishing any religion, or for imposing any religious observance, or for prohibiting the free exercise of any religion, and no religious test shall be required as a qualification for any office or public trust under the Commonwealth.

56. We the undersigned, have written this document in good faith and are witnessing it as true to the best of our knowledge before the Australian Senate and Almighty God.

57. If ever there was a time to put one's country ahead of one's politics, and to vote with one's conscience, in full sight of God, calling on His Guidance, His Mercy and Love, this is the time.

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<http://www.911weknow.com/911-mysteries-movie.html>

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