

2nd Feb. 2009

The Senate Select Committee,
Parliament House
Canberra - ACT 2600.

DEAR SIR,

We believe that a Bill for a Plebiscite for an Australian Republic has been received by the Senate, from Senator Brown.

If Senator Brown's wish is to waste our precious financial resource, once again, on the Republic issue, then it has to be by the correct process for Constitutional change, as set out in Section 128 of the Constitution and that is, the Referendum process.

Nothing other than a Referendum can be considered by the Senate who are the custodians of this wonderful existing form of Government which all of us are enjoying and benefiting from.

We the people must be given the chance to make our choice, and the only way that can be done is not, by a Plebiscite BUT by means of a Referendum, which is hereby requested.

Thanking you

MRS INGRID CHRODOL