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I strongly object to the completely undemocratic foisting of this travesty of a "free trade agreement" on this country.

The World Trade Organisation is bad enough as a vehicle for removing sovereign rights from the Democratically elected governments of this country, but for our own politicians to abrogate their responsibility to protect this nation from the rapacious demands of the United States in a bilateral agreement is criminal.

This Trade Agreement is certainly not in the best interest of the vast majority of the people of this country. I am sure its wonderful for the mates of people like John Howard, but to sell this countries ability to govern itself by allowing foreign parties a veto on the structure of the PBS - just one example of the sycophantic criminality of this Agreement - must not be allowed.

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