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Members of the Senate,

There is no doubt, in hind sight, that the devastation caused by the EI outbreak, could have been averted. It is my belief that no one person or group of people should be financially penalised. That is why we have a Commonwealth Government -Pay for the program that eradicated it.

As far as compensation to those who lost income, I suggest you treat them as if there was a drought or cyclone. I am a horse owner whose horses were inoculated.

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