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This Corporation was (in it's entirety) 'sold' to public ownership by the 'then' Government of the day . . . who extolled the 'value' and encouraged pensioner investment . . . so, as the Government is always worthy of trust . . .

They Believed . . . They Bought . . . and 'Lost 60% + of their outlaid funds' (. . . and the Government said 'thanks' . . . as it most profitably, lodged those funds in the bank).

This **NOW** Government seeks to **re-new control** of the Corporation 'wholesale' entity . . . vowing an intent to 'achieve this objective' . . . without regard to the measures required, or such necessary processes being invoked, that will achieve, and fulfill, it's 'decreed purposes'.

Deliberate, 'intensive coercive pressure' is being politically applied on the Corporation . . . so as to unjustly enforce . . . a conforming to, and complying with . . . stringently expressed Government demand.

(and the-hell-with-accepted -Corporative-Law . . . that's just for the private sector!).

Government has it made *abundantly clear* to the Organization . . . should they find inability to *equitably co-operate* . . . a procedure of *'Compulsory Acquisition'* will be en-acted . . . with the intent *'to-arrange-this-transition'* . . . at no cost to them!

Predominately, 'Age Pensioners' (again, Government Trusting) own this Corporation . . . yet the 'objective aims', and 'stealthy behavior' of this questionably ethical parliament . . . knowingly, will cause a new 'Government inspired disaster', with the results for them, the Pensioners' . . . being yet, another unaffordable loss!

This apparently acceptable (to them) Government conduct . . . reflects an abominable behavioral standard and ethical practice . . . that can reasonably be perceived as, and also interpreted to be . . . undisguised 'stealing from the Shareholders' . . . and as such , it sets an example that is so transparently obvious to the community of this Nation . . . and engenders the truly unhealthy attitude . . . 'if it's good enough for them' . . . well then . . . 'it's bloody good enough for me too'!

Politicians should 'present' as community 'standards' setters' . . . exhibiting, to the entire electorate, manners reflecting honesty, integrity, and respect . . . plus leadership . . . with accolades . . . not expressions of despair, humiliation and disgust.

Yours Sincerely, 81 year old (Telstra Shareholder) Age Pensioner,

Geoffrey Thompson (Signed by myself).