I am do not generally become to involved in letters and submissions but I feel that the 10 cent deposit must have a fair hearing and debate. On all fronts it is a fantastic policy, firstly for the clean up of the environment through to fund raising and young people entrepenurialship as it was the start of my own money earning some 35 years ago. I now employ 20 staff and we all pay a lot of tax.

So it might push up the cost of soft drinks but so what, I hear recently that the aim is to have cigarettes at \$20 so as to encourage none smoking. Maybe we should do the same for lolly water.

Is it that big business has brought us out and government needs their dollars, either way it raises big questions as to why the bill is not debated and people brought out into the open.

I am a supported of the 10 cent deposit bill and I would also like to know who in my government is not. They will not get my next vote.

Yours Faithfully

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