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Subject:	Submission for Privacy Bill Tabled on 12 April 2000
I am concerned that the above bill is a soft touch not a light touch.	

Data mining is an invasion on privacy. Individuals' privacy is not the business of Government unless permission of each individual is obtained.

Australia is a democracy and as such is governed by the people. Why is this bill slipping through Parliament with such haste?

I charge this Government to more accountability and transparency to the Australian public.

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