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Dear Sir,

This submission is in response to the JSCEM's invitation for public comment as part of its Inquiry into the Conduct of the 2001 Federal Election.

I am an Australian Citizen living in New York City .My 20 year stay has not altered my passion and interest in Australia. I want to be able to vote in all elections and in any referendum, and am frustrated that at present I am unable to do so. I am sure that there are many other expatriates who share my opinion. Please allow us to participate in our democracy.

Rspectfully,

Grant Marani