## Dear Senators,

It is with great dismay that I should be writing to you, in order to ask that you pray keep Australia a Constitutional Monarchy. As a proud Australian I have had the priveledge of being born into this beautiful country and being a first generation Australian to a family that fled from the war torn middle east in the 1970's.

Most Senators would not know the value of their liberties as they have never been denied what is rightfully theirs to claim. Most Republics have ended up being politically unstable, corrupt and fascist at some point in time. Yet our system remains alot better than others due to the checks and balances in place.

The cost of having a Republic debate would no doubt cost Australians millions of dollars, and this could be well spent in other areas such as infrastructure. Europe once fell for the trance of another well known Socialist Adolf Hitler who sung praises on the fact that Germany was a Republic. Are there lessons to be learnt from failed Socialist Republics?

One ought to look at African States and compare. Zimbabwe was once a Constitutional Monarchy and what has become of it now?

The greatest shame of it all, is that during my schooling in Australia from Kindergarten right up to the end of year 12 The Commonwealth of Australia failed to educate children on the Australian Constitution and Politics in general. It would be wise to note that in the United States of America children in public schools are taught about their Constitution and their rights.

A plebiscite based on an issue such as the Australian Constitution must only be put forward to an educated society. A person who has no knowledge of the Australian Constitution is not in a position to be making a sound judgement.

Her Majesty has kept silent on the issue of a Republic because she is a Constitutional Monarch. Would a future Dictator be so affording in nature? In the words of Gough Whitlam "Well may we say God Save the Queen".... and in my words- "for nothing will save a Republic".....

Thank You.

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