

To the Senate Inquiry

I would like to submit my concerns I have felt as an Australian and the poor and inhumane treatment received by refugees. I have felt embarrassed that our government has taken the strict policy line that is has, seemingly in total ignorance of the Universal Declaration of Human Rights. What is needed in the world is a compassionate and humane approach to the plight of fellow human beings. It is now a global community, with every country impacting upon the other. Geographical boundaries have little say when it comes to terrorism. So why do they have such limitations in regards to refugees? I hope that this inquiry sets to rights the wrongs of the past and present so that we may be proud of being Australian in the future.

Yours faithfully,
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