



Objection 66

Moira Shanahan

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8th April, 2021

Australian Electoral Commission,
Att: Victorian Redistribution Secretariat,
Locked Bag 4007, Canberra, ACT, 2601

Dear Sir/Madam,

Re: Proposed federal electoral divisions

I strongly object to the proposed boundary changes in the Ballarat area where parts of the Moorabool Shire are to be included in a new division proposed to be named Hawke. Most of this Shire, with perhaps the exception of Bacchus Marsh, has no association with Sunbury, Melton and areas close to Melbourne proposed to be in the new Division. With these areas growing so rapidly and more urban, the western area including Myrniong, Ballan, Gordon, etc. (being rural) will be overlooked and left for dead in attaining federal assistance.

I consider that Moorabool Shire should remain in the Balarat Electoral Division because of its affiliation with Ballarat. Alternatively, Bacchus Marsh urban area could be include in the new District.

I question the proposed name Hawke for the new Electoral Division, as Bob Hawke had no association with this area as Victorian representation. A geographical name or that of an early Victorian premier would be much more appropriate and non-political.

Please take my views into consideration.

Yours faithfully, (Miss) Moira Shanahan (MOIRA SHANAHAN)

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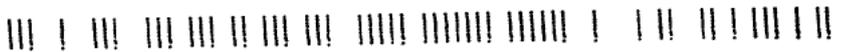
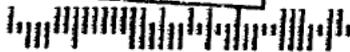
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