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Following the 2009 redistribution we were dismayed to discover that our small township of Moore Park Beach had been moved to the Electorate of Flynn. Our town is really just a dormitory suburb of Bundaberg, and this move is akin to moving Bargara into Wide Bay.

With the possible exception of a few miners and such every worker travels to Bundaberg, a lot of our primary school students and all of the secondary students travel to Bundaberg. We go there for shopping, medical needs, planes and trains and many of us have family there. We are just another part of Bundaberg.

To us it was madness to have to travel almost 200kms to see our elected Member in Gladstone when there is an MP just 20kms away, and I have never heard of anyone doing that. With our small population we do not receive many visits from the Member for Flynn, and I cannot blame him, he has a large electorate which is more allied with the mining and grazing industries. We have no links at all to our Northern neighbours and would desperately love to be returned to the Hinkler Electorate. There are other smaller towns around us in the same predicament and I believe the new boundary should be aligned with the Bundaberg Regional Council's northern boundaries.

I fully realise that the AEC has a real juggling act trying to keep the electorates equal, but if we could be returned to Hinkler we would all be happy little Vegemites.

Yours sincerely,  
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