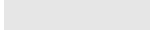


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Submission to the Review into Tasmania's Electoral Act and associated election laws.

**I believe the Act should be amended to require the all donations of \$1,000 or more to a political party be reported by parties and other party political organisations within one week of receiving a donation, and that these should be reported online to the Electoral Commission in such a manner that they are immediately published online so that any person can see them.**

**In addition, I support the following:**

- **A fixed disclosure threshold of \$1,000, to be calculated cumulatively over a whole party group;**
- **Online, continuous real-time disclosure to the Australian Electoral Commission of donations to political parties, candidates and associated entities;**
- **A cap on expenditure for individual candidates and parties in elections;**
- **Corresponding regulation of the political activities of third parties and associated entities;**
- **A donation cap of \$3,000 aggregate per donor, per parliamentary term; and**
- **Banning donations from foreign interests, property developers, tobacco, liquor and gambling/betting interests.**

**Yours sincerely**

**Peter Blackwell**

