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NSW Electoral Commission
Level 25, 201 Kent Street
Sydney NSW 2000

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Dear Commissioners

Comment on Draft Boundaries

Surry Hills

I wish to propose a minor change to the draft boundaries to ensure the whole of Surry Hills is contained within the Sydney electorate. Under the current draft boundaries a small portion of Surry Hills remains in the Newtown electorate, separated from the rest of the Newtown electorate by the railway line.

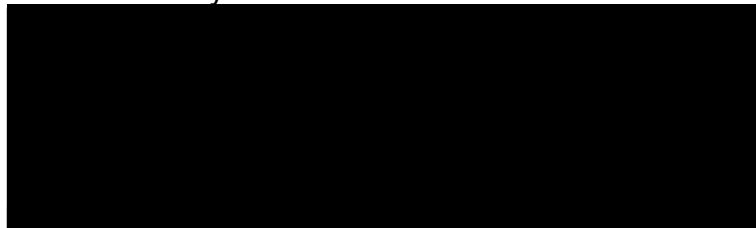
This boundary adjustment would require the transfer of the following SA1s from Newtown to Sydney: 1133601, 1133608, 1133633 and 1133623. Both electorates would remain well within a 10 per cent deviation from the electoral quotient.

Lord Howe Island

I welcome the inclusion of Lord Howe Island into the seat of Sydney. This provides consistency with the federal seat of Sydney, regular and consistent flight access for residents, and access to support and services including the Parliament for residents of Lord Howe Island.

Tourism is also a major industry for both Sydney and Lord Howe Island.

Yours sincerely



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Member for Sydney

