



# Objection 71

Nicholas Simic

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Additional information: I object to the naming of the new division the Division of Fraser. I live in the electorate of Maribyrnong and in the proposed boundaries for the new division too if they are made permanent.

As a local resident, I object to the naming of the proposed new division (proposed as the Division of Fraser) after the former Liberal Prime Minister Rt Hon. John Malcolm Fraser AC CH.

The reasons I give for objecting to the naming of the new division, of which I currently live in and would still live in, are:

1. The area and its surrounds of the proposed new division are mainly Labor held electorate seats and are known as safe Labor seats.
2. It seems odd to name the division after a Liberal politician, no matter even if they had once been Prime Minister, because it does not fit in with the makeup of the electorate or its electors, mainly working class people in the proposed division much like other divisions in the area held by the Labor Party at State and Federal levels.
3. I would instead prefer that the honour goes King O'Malley, because I was reading how he was once a Labor politician in Australia who according to the Wikipedia article on himself I was reading, was influential and or instrumental in things like having Canberra selected as our nation's capital, the establishment of the Commonwealth Bank, and removing the letter 'u' from the Australian Labour Party now known in modern times as the Australian Labor Party. Therefore, it seems more fitting and deserving to give the new division the name of Division of O'Malley in honour of such an important and fascinating deceased Labor politician.

I would prefer the new division, if it cannot be renamed after O'Malley, should at least be renamed after someone who was a Labor politician or someone who supporter the labour/labor movement or trade union movement, for the greater good, since it fits in with the character and makeup of the electorate and its electors. Jolly good, I feel.

O'Malley just seems more deserving of the honour than even a former Prime Minister like Fraser. It should not have to be named after a former Prime Minister, particularly a Liberal one at that. Please.

Thank you.

Sincerely,

Nicholas Simic

19<sup>th</sup> April 2018

P.S. For the record, if it matters or just for your curiosity, I mainly vote Palmer United Party, but I've chopped and changed over the years. I also prefer Labor.