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Dear Treasury,

We have been through this before.

I didn't vote Alp 2 elections ago for the 1st time in my life. Due to the proposed franked dividend policy.

Last election I voted for you as you promised not to revisit this tax grab.

I have based my retirement, and my children's welfare around this policy in order to have future security.

I started with nothing and I mean nothing, as my family were Italian immigrants. We have all worked extremely hard and sacrificed a lot of things, time working which you can't get back.

I am happy to pay the extra tax when I earn more and Medicare levy etc but I have been investing with this system in mind for a long time, and now you wish to change it for a quick tax grab?

This is unfair.

If I had spent all my money at the pub and gambling like some do, I would be entitled to welfare. I however have sought to be self sufficient and save, work overtime all my life, sometimes 2 or 3 jobs, and do the right thing.

And now you want more?

I am not, and never will be a burden on the welfare system. But you want to change the rules that many people have meticulously planned for.

I oppose this change and ask you to refrain from this action.

Yours sincerely,

Patrick Croci.