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INQUIRY INTO ELECTORAL AND POLITICAL PARTY FUNDING

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Re: Funding Inquiry

I am writing to convey my concern with the current political funding scenario in NSW. Political donations in NSW show voters that Members of Parliament and political parties can be bought by those with enough money.

Obviously business and other donor entities expect a large financial return on donations they make to political parties and politicians. This creates the unfortunate situation of community issues versus 'dirty money'. Is this democracy, when politicians are controlled by donors?

A donor free democracy is the only true democracy!

This issue of political donations in NSW needs to be addressed now.

Ms Selina Chaine