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To drastically reduce the staff numbers of crossbench members, is a direct attack on democracy and is unAustralian.

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