

Dear Sir,

A recent article by Financial Advisor, Neil Whittaker in The Sunday Mail indicated that the Federal Government and Federal Treasury Department are considering removing the imputation or franking credits that are attached to dividends.

My wife and I, as self-funded retirees have been hit hard by the current share market downturn and removing the imputation or franking credits that are attached to dividends would be like sticking a knife into an already open wound.

As voters and investors my wife and I are both strongly against any changes to the dividend imputation system. We will not support any Member of Parliament who supports the proposed changes and we will do everything we can to encourage our friends and acquaintances to adopt a similar position.

Yours sincerely

Ian & Robyn Watlins
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