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Australia's Demographic Challenges  
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Submission on Demographic Challenges

The Federal Government once had lucrative sources of revenue, but sold them to private shareholders for the immediate benefit of paying off international debt. It is time Government bought back the remaining 49% of Telstra and the Commonwealth Bank and used the profits to fund Aged Care expenditure. Govt. may have to borrow to buy back the farm, but profits would soon pay back the loan. Liberal governments seem to have a fanatical belief that government budgets should always be in the black. It isn't necessarily so.

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'M. A. Mack'.

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