

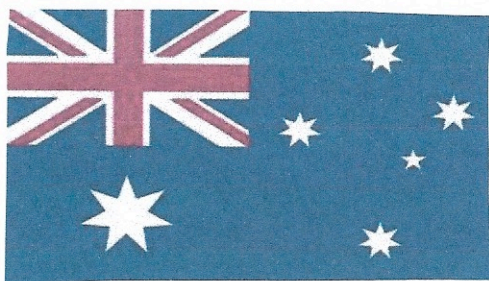
TO YOU MY DEAR CITIZENS !

"I am living in my lovely city since I was born. I think that our city is out off from reality and that we must change our old traditions.

At the origins, Australian Day celebrates the arrival of settlers in Australia. It's our national day and it takes place on 26th January. Maybe some of you don't know but in 1788, British colonists came in Australia. Thank's to this colonisation, the country has discovered a way of life moderner and it has improved its developpement. But despite this, we can criticize this date! In fact, because of this colonisation, it's a big part of the aboriginal culture which has disappeared. For instance, at the arrivals of settlers, 300 aboriginals languages were spoken whereas today there are only 75 languages. This impact on our culture should disappoint each of us. Moreover, there has been a lot of violence against aboriginals people and a lot of discrimination. An other problem was the one of diseases, that's why many aboriginal people died. I think that we all agree that this event isn't a bed of roses. A national day should celebrate an event with only positive aspects and which shows the brightness of Australia.

That's why each Australian major propose a referendum which ask:
What do you think about the 28th of January to celebrate our national day?

In fact we think that this date is perfect because in 19 a laws was stipulated to fight against aboriginal discrimination and create an unification between this two people to be like one. This referendum will take place on 14th of May. We need you! Come vote! Each opinion is important!



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