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FAMILY FIRST STATEMENT ABOUT BORDER PROTECTION LEGISLATION

FAMILY FIRST is pleased that this legislation is dead.

This was bad legislation because it was based on a bad principle.

If Australia expects other countries to play by the rules we have to do the same ourselves and this legislation wasn't playing by the rules.

If every country followed Australia's lead – made up their own rules and booted people off to foreign lands – there would be absolute chaos.

This legislation wasn't needed.

Australia already has tough border protection laws.

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