

## **Postal banking**

Good afternoon.

Having lived for a great deal of my life in rural areas, The closing of bank branches and the difficulty now experienced by rural dwellers is becoming very clear. Every small village has a postal service and a post office which, if utilised as a banking facility, Would reduce the imbalance of services between the city and the bush.

I understand that this is now being looked at and please note my support as a voter for the establishment of a postal banking service for the use of all citizens.