Queensland Senate - 2022 Federal Election

'*Personal*' Rating Guide for QLD Senate - White Ballot Paper *(above the line)*

'Personal' Rating of Groups/ Parties: Starting from Freedom-Friendly Minor Parties/ Groups to Last *(above the line 1 - 25)*	Pref #	Group	Own Pref #
Pauline Hanson's One Nation	1	X	
Len Harris *{with No. 2 Debra Yuille}*	2	A	
The Great Australian Party	3	M	
Australian Federation Party	4	O	
Informed Medical Options Party	5	T	
United Australia Party - UAP	6	R	
Liberal Democrats	7	W	
Steve Dickson *{with No. 2 Rebecca Lloyd}*	8	H	
Indigenous – Aboriginal Party of Australia	9	K	
Australian Citizens Party	10	L	
Federal ICAC Now	11	G	
Liberal National Party of Queensland	12	S	
Drew Pavlou Democratic Alliance	13	V	
Australian Democrats	14	Q	
Australian Values Party	15	N	
Sustainable Australia Party	16	D	
Mike Head *{with No. 2 John Davis}*	17	I	
Reason Australia	18	E	
TNL *{formerly registered as 'The New Liberals'}*	19	F	
Queensland Greens	20	J	
FUSION	21	U	
Animal Justice Party	22	P	
Legalise Cannabis Australia	23	C	
Socialist Alliance	24	B	
Australian Labor Party (State of Queensland)	25	Y	

Visit AEC: https://www.aec.gov.au/election/candidates.htm
Click '***Show all candidates***', '***Qld***' and '***Senate candidates***' to view the entire list of **QLD Senate Candidates.**

This '*personal*' rating guide, shows the **25 QLD Senate Groups** from **1 to 25** *(above the line)*; with **One Nation** <u>first</u> **(Group X #1)** and then **Labor** <u>last</u> **(Group Y #25)**. The guide is based on freedom-friendly minor parties/ groups (pro-life &/or pro-liberty), candidates backgrounds, skills, civic experience/ ability, social values, policies, analysis of 'How-to-Vote' preferences and candidate answers on **Reignite Democracy Australia '*Federal Candidate Survey - 2022*'**. https://www.reignitedemocracyaustralia.com.au/myvc/

For any changes to the order shown, please use the column (on the right), '**Own Pref #**' and then re-number in *your* preference order.

When voting via a postal application or attending a polling location, use your *own pen* (biro) and preferably not a pencil (if possible). For a 'formal' ballot paper, you must number 6 squares (**above the line**) on the **WHITE** Ballot Paper (Senate), starting with "1" for your choice. If a voter chooses to **number ALL boxes** (squares) *above* the line, then this ensures their vote is not wasted. If any boxes are left blank, there's a risk e.g. a dishonest counter may number an empty box, rendering the ballot paper informal (unlikely but possible).

For any **QLD Voters (Electors)** who *prefer* to number squares for *individual* Senate candidates, **below the line** – you must consecutively number at least 12 boxes (1 to 12). It is however, strongly advised to number *more* than 12 boxes (*below the line*). To ensure a 'formal' ballot paper, an elector *cannot* number boxes which are BOTH above and below the line. Electors **must choose** to vote **either** above or below the line, on the white ballot paper.

Recommendations:
1. For 'rated' listing of **79 QLD Senate candidates** *(below the line),* this is posted on https://votewisely.godaddysites.com/
2. Go to webpage '**SENATE RATING GUIDES**' and download QLD Senate BTL pdf showing **79 candidates** and review the *below the line* order. If needed, use the column shown as '**Own Pref #**' and re-number to suit your *own* preference order **(1-79).**
3. Once satisfied with either the list of **1 to 25** (*above the line*) OR, the list from **1 to 79** (*below the line*), keep a copy for voting.
4. When numbering the Senate white ballot paper, take your time - <u>carefully</u> and <u>accurately</u> - in your *own* preference order.

For your first choice, on your white ballot paper, try to avoid writing your number "1" using a lower case "**l**"; as this could potentially (fraudulently) be changed to a 4 or a 7. Instead of "**l**", use **1** (in pen). For numbering a square with a "7", put a small horizontal line across 7, like this 7. If you make a mistake on your ballot paper, **DO NOT** put a line through it and write the correct information beside it. Just ask for a fresh ballot paper. Choose your *own* candidates (Groups/ Parties/ Independents) for the **QLD Senate** *either* above or below the line, on the **WHITE** ballot paper, in *your* preference order.

Make your **vote count** **Vote Wisely**