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After reading the proposed increase of the price of stamps I am concerned the submissions being received are not aimed at the user. Australia Post is owned by Australians, previous attempts by governments to turn it into a private corporation have only increased the cost and reduced the service. Example one, I purchase a Calander made in Australia for \$2.00, I put it in an envelope and post it overseas it now costs more than \$12.00 for that envelope overseas . Example two, I send 10 business size letters to several addresses in Australia, currently at \$1.20 equals \$12.00. Why is it so important that Australia Post must make such a profit? As of last year, it was mentioned on Radio in the news Aust Post had made a 12-million-dollar surplus. AUATRALIA Post has to review it wastage and processes, if private companies can still make a profit with overseas parcels and mail why can't it? Before any decision is made get the views of the users not the big corporations, Put the Mums and Dads and families of Australia first. No wonder people are going to other sources. Help Australians don't tread on us further. [REDACTED]

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