ELECTORAL REFORM LEGISLATION, WITHDRAWAL

Petition

Hon M.J. Criddle presented the following petition bearing the signatures of 164 persons -

To the Honourable the President and members of the Legislative Council of the Parliament assembled.

We the undersigned residents of Western Australia respectfully request that the Government withdraw its Electoral Reform measures, which will diminish the parliamentary representation of people living outside the metropolitan area.

Your Petitioners, therefore humbly pray that the Legislative Council will protect the right of country Western Australia to fair representation in the Parliament of Western Australia.

And your petitioners as in duty bound, will ever pray.

[See paper No 1079.]