

Faith Bandler discusses the 1967 Referendum (1993)

FAITH BANDLER: You could be a relatively free person walking around Victoria, and you come to New South Wales and you find you've got to go up to Bridge Street in Sydney to get permission if you can go and see your uncle or aunt, if you please.

Then, if you move over the border into Queensland, well, the very fact that you go over the border in Queensland, you could be arrested without reason.

So, there was a great need to abolish those State Laws, and to bring everyone under the common law, the Federal Law. With, incidentally, the migrants who had come recently.