

Newly empowered Australian MPs consider radical ideas

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The three independents and a new Greens MP who are set to hold the balance of power in Australia's parliament seem ready to force some big policy changes.

The bidding war for their support by both the Labor and Liberal parties is yet to begin in earnest after Saturday's election delivered what's almost certain to be a hung parliament.

But the unusual outcome has opened an opportunity to contemplate some radical ideas.

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