

Queensland Community Safety Bill 2024

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I wish to state that I believe certain aspects of this bill do not meet the best interests of Queenslanders. The aspect which seem most unnecessary is the change in definition of a fit and proper person, as well as extending the period of offences for 10 years. There has not been a single death since 1996 which could have been prevented by a different definition of fit and proper person, and so this is unnecessary and will unfairly discriminate against law abiding people. Focusing on stopping people who actually repeatedly break the law and have no regard for the impacts of their action would be better, such as increasing penalties for illegal possession of weapons or ensuring second time offenders are dealt with appropriately. I hope you take this into consideration