Queensland Community Safety Bill 2024

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Dear Madam/Sir,

The changes proposed to this Bill are not necessary, are counter-productive and should be abandoned.

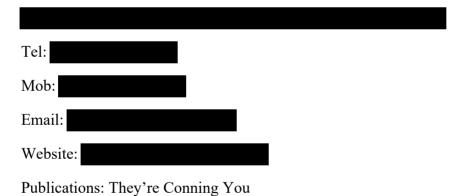
The arguments put forward in favour of the proposed changes are spurious and have been shown by many experts to be false. These arguments appear to have been rejected in favour of national and international strategies to remove firearms from the general public. These arguments are similar to those used by the Nazi Governments before WWII, ie to ensure the general public could not rise up against a tyrannical government. Arguments quoting the United States having the highest level of gun crimes are false too: in fact, the US cities with the lowest gun crimes have the highest proportion of gun ownership where citizens are able to protect themselves, and criminals are aware of this fact.

I propose that every gun law and control mechanism in Australia be reviewed in terms of their efficiency, effectiveness and demonstrable need based on credible evidence rather than the current ideology.

Kind regards,

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