

Queensland Community Safety Bill 2024

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Dear Committee

I write to you to express my utmost worry about articles within the Queensland community safety bill 2024 bill that will be rushed through parliament. My particular worry is the section of the bill that will give police to cancel a firearm license and seize property if they have family connections to a person that is a criminal + S141E (2)(d) lists one of the criteria for potentially being eligible for a FPO as being "whether the individual is an associate of a recognised offender" S141E (4) states that someone is consider an associate of a recognised offender if that person (a) has a romantic or familial relationship with the offender

This will mean that even though the firearm license holder can be a law-abiding firearm owner because he has a family member that is a criminal he will be viewed as a criminal in waiting therefore subject to this bill.

I wholeheartedly disagree with this notion of guilt by association and do not give a person that has done nothing wrong a chance to punish them for something they cannot control. Police in qld have the power and laws to find people that lend firearms to unlicensed persons and disqualify them and arrest them on those charges USE the law already and stop making laws that can be interpreted a thousand ways and make innocent people subject to police overreach.

Thank you for reading my submission

Regards
Sean Campbell