

Community Support and Services Committee

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To: South Brisbane Electorate Office
Cc: Community Support and Services Committee; Maiwar Electorate Office
Subject: Submission: Criminal Law (Raising the Age of Responsibility) Amendment Bill 2021

Dear Amy MacMahon MP,

To the Community Support and Services Committee, CC my local MP:

I wish to support raising the age of criminal responsibility that affects many of firsts nations people to 14.
I support the UN recommendations of making it minimum age of 14.

I work with youth and support the truth that the brain is not fully developed at 10 for children to make fair and reasonable choices that have life long consequences.

I believe that other support measures should be funded and explored to keep our youth out of detention, and back with strong culture and education.

I support the bill the greens are putting forward.

Thank you

Yours sincerely,
tara Wightwick
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