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To whom it may concern,

I am writing to express my distress for Public Health and Other Legislation (Extension of Expiring Provisions) Amendment Bill 2022 introduced on Feb 22nd by Minister for Health and Ambulance Services.

I express my distress because the essential public health measures - such as mandates for employment and forced segregation in restaurants and other social events - have had such detrimental affects on people's mental and economic health. With very high vaccination rates, high natural immunity thanks to the Omicron variant exposure in the community, I wonder what is the purpose of the extension?

We need to move on now. We need to let people get back to their lives without fear of government overreach. If this is about 'health', then for which 'health'? Because mental health and economic health are not being considered, and are just as imperative, and as mentioned above, people are highly vaccinated and many have natural immunity as well to care for the 'physical health'.

I write as a QLD citizen for 31 years. I write as a Public Education teacher for 6 years, now out of a job because of a decision I made for my own health not to be injected. I write on behalf of the many small businesses I have seen suffer, particularly where I live up in FNQ, from the mandates. You need to let us live.

Many countries around the world are moving on - Australia needs to as well. Enough is enough.

In hope for a brighter future,



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