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To whom it may concern

I write to ask that the Queensland government ceases it's state of emergency extensions. I am an early childhood teacher and mother of two children. I also volunteer for a health organisation. As I am not vaccinated, I am unable to work (paid or volunteer). Living in a small town, this has had consequences including:

- *Reduced income
- *Limited volunteer activities (and local families cannot access the support they need)
- *Feeling as though I will never earn money again

The extensions are based on COVID number and deaths in Queensland.

There are indications that the data which ABS has is exaggerated.

Despite the vaccination rate being above 90%, average daily cases sit at 8031. The total deaths is considerably lower than other causes of death (influenza, Alzheimer, cancer, heart disease and so on). Thank you for reading my submission.

Jemma