From:

To: Community Support and Services Committee

Subject: DO NOT want an Extension to the Emergency Bill (until 31st October 2022)

Date: Thursday, 3 March 2022 10:33:36 AM

Dear Community Secretary

RE: PUBLIC HEALTH AND OTHER LEGISLATION (EXTENSION OF EXPIRING PROVISIONS) AMENDMENT BILL 2022 (BILL)

I DO NOT support the Bill nor the extension of the state of emergency(until 31st October 2022). If this goes ahead, Qld would have been under a SOE for almost 3 years.

This state of emergency creates more problems than the disease itself. Now with the current situation of flooding in Qld the people can not take any more.

- .small businesses have been affected and devastated from the lockdowns and mandates forced on them
- .a huge rise in mental health problems since March 2020.
- .the disintegration of trust in our public institutions
- .the freedoms of rights and speech are being suspended
- .thousands of jobs have been lost including mine because of mandates forced on the people.

Regards,

Penelope Thompson