To the Committee Secretary,

Community Support and Services Committee,

Parliament House,

Brisbane.

Submission in regard to the Public Health and other Legislation (Extension) Amendment Bill 2022

As a concerned citizen, I wish to <u>object</u> to the extension of the Public Health Measures that we have seen change the lives of so many Queenslanders. We have seen vaccine mandates take away the jobs of many Queenslanders and we have seen border closures and other measures separate families and close businesses in an apparent over-reaction to the fear of a pandemic.

I would ask that we put aside this emotional fear and look at scientific facts. The vaccines do not **stop** a person from getting Covid or becoming sick enough to go to hospital or dying. They definitely do not stop transmission of the virus. The fact that Australia is an island continent and has strict regulations to stop people who aren't fully vaccinated from entering the country except under exceptional circumstances and yet has had Covid in all its variants from Delta to Omicron enter and sweep through the country unhindered by our high vaccination rates shows that. I do not say that there are no benefits to vaccination, just that this particular vaccination is a poor performer. I just had a Q-Fever vaccination recently. It gives lifelong immunity to even catching it and a person is tested before having it to make sure that they will not have an adverse reaction to the vaccination. Compare that to the present Covid vaccinations.

I propose that instead of having politicians using their powers to force people to do things that they want people to do, that we have panels of doctors and scientists that have no vested interests in promoting vaccinations, to make public recommendations and findings so that people have some say in what things that are done to their bodies. Particularly we should look at other treatments besides vaccines. We should examine carefully what we have learnt over the last two years, which means looking also at the mental health aspects of all the measures that have been forced upon us. All over the world, different treatment measures have been tried. We should look carefully at what has been learned, and give people a choice in an important decision for their lives.

Also there are the **adverse side effects** that seem to have been covered up. I have a neighbour that had the vaccine because he was told that it was the right thing to do. He was sick after the first injection but was told to get the second anyway. After the second, he was in hospital for six weeks and is still getting treated for the adverse reactions that the vaccine had on his body. He was diagnosed with Transverse Myelitis, which the doctors admitted was caused by the vaccine. He was fit and healthy before his vaccination but now is a cripple, needing a wheelchair instead of being able to walk. Incidentally, he saw nine different doctors yet not one reported his case as being due to vaccines. It seems they are being actively encouraged not to report them.

In conclusion I ask the committee to look at all these aspects before giving politicians more powers that they may misuse, as I contend that they have done over the last two years.

Yours Sincerely,

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