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To: [Community Support and Services Committee](#)
Subject: Re: Public Health and Other Legislation (Extension of Expiring Provisions) Amendment Bill 2022
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Good morning.

I wish to state that as the elected officials who work FOR the constituents of Queensland, I DO NOT support any extension to the subject Bill.

Data provided by the ABS (prior to changing to fit the narrative) stated that there were only 83 deaths attributed to COVID-19 being the sole causal factor. With those who have died (total) the data shows that on average, there were 2.7 co-morbidities. In a recent presser, the Premier stated that the State is coming down from the peak of pre-Omicron levels, and Minister Hunt stated in the same presser that cases and hospitalisations are all down. Why is there a need to extend if the case numbers are dropping? Especially through to October??

From a personal note, i have seen throughout the community, the segregation between those who have and have not been vaccinated with a provisionally approved drug. In no other vaccination programme, has this divide been felt amongst the community. This has also flowed to families. I have first hand experience on the divide that the powers that this Bill provides within families. I have seen fathers all but disown their adult children, younger children crying and being forced to get 'the jab' so they can play with their friends. The social disconnect these powers have bought are wide and effect many, many people. The constituents that the Govt is supposed to be supporting have had enough of the segregation and mandated restrictions, especially as we are now on the back end of the COVID crisis.

For your consideration,

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