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To: [Community Support and Services Committee](#)
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To the committee

I DO NOT support an extension to the Emergency Bill until 31st October 2022.

All facets of Health need to be considered in a balanced approach.

- * There is no unpredictability with the current strains of COVID-19. Each variant is weaker. The Omicron variant poses little risk to human life.
- * The predictions used in the Statement of Compatibility are minimal. Statistics are from the past two years.
- * It's time to move forward without restriction and power-happy rules causing division in our communities.
- * Government powers have been overused and resulted in catastrophic mental health issues and widespread loss of careers and businesses.

No government employee went without their pay during the pandemic restrictions.
Read that again.

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