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I am writing to inform you that I am opposed to the Public Health and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2022 being extended in any shape or form. My reasons are as follows:

- In Queensland we the people have had an awful time over the past two years. We simply cannot justify an amendment to the bill as it would mean continued and further hardship and, mental anguish.
- It concerns me and saddens me greatly that thousands of Australians have committed suicide as a result of the bill and the mandates and restrictions that came with it. The amount of people dying with the covid19 virus is small in comparison to the people who have died from suicide, loneliness and despair.
- People are already stretched emotionally because of everything they have endured the past two years. Extending the Bill will push people over the edge and many, many more suicides will result.
- There is no justification for an emergency bill any more. We need to move on with our lives.
- People need to get their jobs back so that they can feed their families. Then they can pay taxes, which is to everyone's benefit. If people are denied their right to work, this will result in even more suicides.
- Most countries are now dropping all restrictions, mandates and showing us that the emergency, if there was one, is most definitely over.

In conclusion I am opposed to the extension of the Health and Special Powers Bill, in any shape or form.

Kind regards.

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