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**To:** [Community Support and Services Committee](#)  
**Subject:** My objection to extension of emergency powers  
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Dear Committee Members,

I understand that you are in the process of reviewing the extension of emergency powers.

Please consider the recent findings of a Judge in New Zealand:

"the expert evidence presented by Dr Nikolai Petrovsky showing the vaccines' limited "effectiveness" when it came to the new Omicron variant."

While Omicron did pose a threat to the "continuity of workforce", the Judge said, the threat was clearly the case for "BOTH THE VACCINATED AND THE Unvaccinated."

"Ultimately Justice Cooke said:

"It is clear from the evidence that vaccination does not prevent persons contracting and spreading COVID-19, particularly with the Omicron variant".

The Order was accordingly found to be unlawful and set aside."

It seems that our 90% double vaccination rate has proved no impediment to the virus, which has spread quickly through Queensland and is now waning in cases, garnering strong support for the abolishment of mandates. They've done their job, hospitalisations are down. If only less than 10% of the State is unvaccinated, surely our hospitals can cope now, particularly when unvaccinated health care workers are allowed back on the job.

I personally have lost my job, as has my husband, putting enormous stress on the mental health of ourselves and our two young children. I have lost friendships over these mandates. We will probably need to sell up and relocate from the remote community, we have just moved to, and we came to serve and have fallen in love with. It's already difficult to get teachers here. Local Elders and Heads of Departments at Cook Shire Council can vouch for my efforts on behalf of First Nations Education.

Please consider these factors in making your decision. I personally **do not** want you to grant an extension to the emergency bill. Let's let our already battered state recover physically, emotionally, mentally and financially from this traumatic time.

Thank you for your time.

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