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To: [Community Support and Services Committee](#)
Subject: PUBLIC HEALTH and OTHER LEGISLATION (EXTENSION OF EXPIRING PROVISIONS) AMENDMENT BILL 2022
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Dear Committee,

My name is Reanna Thorley and I **strongly object** to any Extension of the Emergency Bill. My husband and I are both suspended without pay from the Department of Education due to the mandates from this so called pandemic and are going through a horrendous amount of stress trying to figure out how we will feed our three children and pay our mortgage.

Most recently, the Australian Bureau of Statistics stated that above 90% of deaths attributed to Covid in the period since the pandemic began have since been retracted leaving the death rate from Covid to be quite minimal. Therefore, extending the powers of the Chief Health Officer would be under false pretences.

Current estimates indicate that Omicron deaths are only a very small fraction of those adjusted numbers. Any extension is not warranted and should NOT be granted.

Continuation of these powers will result in continued discrimination to the population who choose not to be vaccinated therefore stripping away their democratic rights, causing undue stress on that part of society.

The negative impact of these mandates and the pressure it is placing on Queenslanders through lost jobs and a pressured healthcare system, far outweigh the negatives going forward. Particularly when it seems that many Queenslanders have had COVID-19, now have natural immunity, and according to the Government's own modelling the peak has now passed. Therefore there is absolutely no reason to give those in power the opportunity to continue destroying families lives unnecessarily under the guise of a pandemic.

Reanna Thorley

