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To: [Community Support and Services Committee](#)
Subject: I reject the Public Health and Other Legislation (Extension of Expiring Provisions) Amendment Bill 2022
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Dear Community Support and Services Committee Secretary,

I reject the Public Health and Other Legislation (Extension of Expiring Provisions) Amendment Bill 2022.

I do not agree to having the Acts listed in this Amendment Bill amended and extended yet again to 31st October 2022 or further.

Queensland has been through enough difficulty throughout the past two years without a needless extension of provisions that were confusing, difficult to interpret, onerous to enforce, and negatively impacted citizens livelihoods, businesses, education, healthcare & mental health (to name a few areas) and is splitting families apart.

Now is the time to move on from the Covid-19 "emergency". Omicron is mild, and there have been no Variants of Concern since November 2021, and no Variants of Interest since mid-2021 (source: WHO). Queensland is 90% vaccinated (source: Qld Health), so if the vaccines are working we should no longer need to rely on extending Provisions that were put in place prior to vaccines being available.

The emergency that Queensland now faces is due to Mother Nature, a natural disaster - flooding in South East QLD and Northern NSW. It is time to put the outdated measures of the Public Health and Other Legislation (Extension of Expiring Provisions) Amendment Bill 2022 aside and look at what is actually happening in the State right now, and act on that.

On the other hand, if we do need to rely on Provisions being extended by the above Bill, then the State Government really needs to admit that Covid-19 vaccinations have been a failure, and ALL Covid-19 vaccine mandates need to end, and ALL workers that lost their jobs or were suspended because of not complying with mandates need to be reinstated. In that case there also need to be a (Queensland) compensation program for sufferers of adverse effects of the Covid-19 vaccines, and an enquiry into why such a colossal and expensive waste of taxpayers money was allowed to occur, when cheaper and more effective treatments for the virus were available and had already been used effectively overseas. (Source: FLCCCA <https://covid19criticalcare.com/covid-19-protocols/>)

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