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To: Community Support and Services Committee

**Subject:** Extension to Emergency Powers **Date:** Friday, 4 March 2022 10:55:57 AM

## Attention Committee,

I am writing to voice my opposition to the extension of the state of emergency bill in Queensland. For two years the citizens of Queensland have been subjected unreasonable mandates without representation on the floor of parliament. We have not witnessed the death rate nor have we seen the significant illness rate associated with a pandemic over the past two years. Especially now with omicron being the dominant varient of the virus the typical infection of covid-19 is little more than a bad cold and is being managed by self care. The mandates, many of which are incredibly discriminatory and are border line unconstitutional, need to end.

It is time to end the state of emergency, restore parliament to its full capacity and to give Queenslanders our voices back through representation in parliament.

Kind Regards

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