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Dear Sir/Madam

I am writing to ask that you please say NO to extending the state of emergency powers in Queensland and restore the freedoms that Queenslanders once held before 2020.

It is ridiculous to think that because of the emergency powers that we have, we have a two-tiered system in this state. I have been affected personally and know of many others who have been affected, whether that be their mental health and stress levels, many professionals who have lost their jobs, and students who have had to put their studies on hold due to these mandates.

To think that these emergency powers have meant that people's livelihoods are at stake (such as their employment) and to have to make a choice between their jobs or to take an experimental medical procedure and to think that the Immunisation act states that vaccines should not be mandated. It is obvious that taking a vaccination in this instance doesn't make a difference whether you are unvaccinated or vaccinated. You can still get Covid and pass on Covid, whether you are vaccinated or not. This makes no sense to then extend these emergency powers. We also see that due to these mandates, it has created division and segregation in our society. This is un-Australian.

As an Australian citizen I have never in my life seen anything like this. I implore you to think about the consequences of another two years of living like we have been since this all started back in 2020. Let us get back to how it used to be with people being given a choice to decide what they do to look after their own health and wellbeing.

I implore you to say NO without any hesitation and not extend the State of Emergency Powers.

Thank you for your understanding and for your urgent consideration.

Kind regards



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