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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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To Whom it May concern

My name is Maureen Leach

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I am strongly opposed to any further extension to the essential public health measures implemented to facilitate Queensland's response to the COVID - 19 pandemic .

I also strongly appose an extension of amendments to the Corrective Services Act 2006 , Disaster Management Act 2003 and Mental Health Act 2016 to support the public health response.

I do not believe that we need to be living under a state of emergency any longer and I believe it should have been removed a lot earlier than this .

Since the state of emergency laws have been in place , we have had serious issues with the economy , small businesses have been destroyed and hundreds of thousands of jobs have been lost, and mental health issues have massively increased .

Many of our rights have been taken from us including freedom of speech, freedom of conscience as to whether we wish to even take a vaccine . I no longer believe we have transparency in our government and have lost all trust in our institutions . We have been forced to give up careers and , at every opportunity , we have had changes to our way of life imposed and shutdowns introduced which have caused a further spiral downwards of our economy .

The virus has been used to instil fear in people which is not consistent with the loss of life . Many older Australians have lost their lives from the virus but many young people have it without even any symptoms . My research shows that the side effects of the vaccination are very significant and , at the very least , it should be a persons right to decide whether they wish to proceed with taking vaccines . The mandates are so cruel, unfair, detrimental and bring with them huge and horrible ramifications .

These mandates must be stopped and Australians should not be forced to be controlled by them!

The public health measures which have been introduced as a result of the original Bill failed miserably on so many fronts . This extension must not be allowed .

Yours faithfully

Maureen Leach

My own research and knowledge

Sent from my iPhone