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To: Community Support and Services Committee

Subject: PUBLIC HEALTH AND OTHER LEGISLATION (EXTENSION OF EXPIRY PROVISIONS AMENDMENTS BILL

2022)

Date: Thursday, 3 March 2022 7:33:22 PM

RE: PUBLIC HEALTH AND OTHER LEGISLATION (EXTENSION OF EXPIRY PROVISIONS AMENDMENTS BILL 2022)

The community understands that continuing to renew the State of Emergency knowing that our economy has been smashed, our rights to free speech, peaceful assembly, right to work, bodily autonomy, government transparency, public trust in our institutions, divisions in society, rise in mental health is not all about "health".

The Community has been very negatively affected in the past two years. The justification of the SOE has been based on "inaccurate modelling".

There is no longer justification for a SOE and Queenslanders should not be discriminated, terrorised, or their lives destroyed any further. The will of the people cannot be ignored. To extend the SOE is supporting the continued "suspension of democracy".

I therefore object to the Bill and the extension to the SOE.

Yours sincerely