Education (General Provisions) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024

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Dear Committee Members, I am writing to express my views with regards to the new proposed changes in legislation that would greatly affect my friends who homeschool. I would like the Committee to consider the awful impact on these families the changes would have, especially the right to homeschool. I can honestly say that our friends' kids are thriving whilst being homeschooled and that was succeeded without using the Australian curriculum. I can clearly see that requiring it would be detrimental to their education and I'm an outsider! I oppose the proposed bill. The Australian curriculum is not what makes a high-quality education. And the right should remain solely with the parent to decide what is best for their child or children, not the government. I hope this and many other submissions will paint a better picture to the one it has been portrayed by the media e.g. Courier Mail and those who prepared these proposals for change of legislation. Your Sincerely, Luke