

## Education (General Provisions) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024

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### Submitter Comments:

To the Education, Employment, Training and Skills Committee, As a very concerned citizen and a mother of young children myself, I can see without a doubt the negative implications that this bill will have on families, and children if this bill goes ahead. I know many homeschool families and it is extremely evident seeing how well their children are thriving. I see happy children that have been raised by their parents, I see children that have a legitimate desire to learn, I see children that have considerable more knowledge than the average school child. Not only this, I have seen many children struggle in the school setting, and be taken out to be homeschooled, and are thriving significantly more at home with their parents. I am particularly concerned about Clause 18, 64 and 68. I believe that parents are the best teachers to their children and I believe we all have the freedom to raise our children how we intend on raising them. I believe it is in the power of parents to choose what is best for their children. This bill will have a detrimental effect on thousands of children and families across the state. Please consider giving our families the freedom they deserve.