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Please do not extend the premiers emergency powers.  
Their actions are a knee jerk reaction to a virus that is not going away anytime soon.  
We have to adapt & live with it.

The current state government power tripping ways are undermining Australias ability to travel within our own country.  
Their actions are affecting our core family needs & hurting business / economic activities in their quest to keep Queensland safe.  
We are one country & should not be divided into individual states, I feel persecuted for needing to go to NSW or Victoria.

With my business operating in multiple east coast states I have been forced to be separated with Qld border closures for more than 5 months in the past 12 months.

This has become what feels like a purely political stance by the current QLD Labour government & not helpful for all of our Australian future.

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Please feel free to call me on this as I am happy to discuss the issues I have incurred this past year. I feel I have no voice, the qld government have become so militant in their approach.

Regards  
Mark

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