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To who it may concern

Thank you for allowing me the opportunity to express my three main concerns for extending emergency powers in QLD from Sep 30 2021 to April 30 2022.

1. An extension is not needed when credible medical journals admit insufficient studies have been conducted.
https://www.nejm.org/na101/home/literatum/publisher/mms/journals/content/nejm/2020/nejm_2020.383.issue-27/nejmoa2034577/20210201/images/img_xlarge/nejmoa2034577_f4.jpeg) (Read under Limitations and Remaining Questions). For this reason, as there are insufficient studies, it is not prudent extending emergency powers for the purpose of mandating an experimental vaccine upon aged care workers.
2. 910 covid deaths have been recorded in Australia since February 2020. (No deaths in Australia this year). <https://www.worldometers.info/coronavirus/country/australia/> On the other hand, <https://www.tga.gov.au/periodic/covid-19-vaccine-weekly-safety-report-01-07-2021> states 335 deaths are in question from the covid vaccine since roll out on 15 February 2021.

Comparing the two groups using the data seen in above references. (This is an approximate estimate as my maths does not take into account the waves and troughs and mandatory reporting seen in **Group 1** versus the non-mandatory reporting seen in **Group 2**):

$$\frac{910 \text{ deaths}}{16 \text{ months}} = 56 \text{ deaths per month from covid } (\text{Group 1})$$

$$\frac{335}{4} \text{ months} = 83 \text{ deaths per month from covid vaccine } (\text{Group 2})$$

If we look at all the weekly safety reports , <https://www.tga.gov.au/covid-19-vaccine-safety-monitoring-and-reporting> we notice more people have died from the Covid vaccine this year in Australia than from Covid.

3. Most of this year's covid cases have come from other countries. It would be wiser to sort out the quarantine concerns rather than mandate an experimental vaccination upon aged care workers.

Warm regards

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