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**To:** Economics and Governance Committee  
**Subject:** Public Health and Other Legislation (Further Extension of Expiring Provisions)  
Amendment Bill 2021

To whom it may concern,

I **oppose** the bill tabled by Yvette D'ath to extend the Covid-19 legislation expiry day to 30 April 2022.

Queensland is NOT in a state of emergency in 2021 and legislation to declare this and extend existing powers is not warranted. The powers under this bill are causing more harm than good to the stability of families, business and individuals across South East Queensland. Healthy people should not have unprecedented restrictions enforced on them with the unpredictability of what has occurred. The mental health of the community is suffering. There is too much fear being communicated through the news and into the lives of vulnerable people and it needs to stop.

If Queensland can run an NRL game at Suncorp Stadium on 27/06/2021 with a 50,000+ person capacity, then lock down for 5 days on 29/06/2021 at 1am (coincidentally on the same day the State of emergency status expires) until 03/07/2021 at 6pm and then less than 24 hours later on 04/07/2021, run another NRL game at Suncorp stadium with a 50,000+ capacity, there is NO EMERGENCY.

There has been one virus related death (of an 80 year old in Quarantine) in Queensland in 2021. This does not constitute extension of the existing powers. <https://www.abc.net.au/news/2021-04-13/queensland-coronavirus-seventh-death-man-philippines/100059930>

There have been 335 adverse event reported deaths from the vaccine since its rollout at the end of February <https://www.tga.gov.au/periodic/covid-19-vaccine-weekly-safety-report-01-07-2021> - This is significant and is the real emergency.

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