From:

Economics and Governance Committee

Subject: Submission to Public and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2021

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To whom it may concern,

Submission to Public Health and Other Legislation Amendment Act 2021 extending the Public Health Emergency Response measures from 30 September 2021 to 30 April 2022.

Whoever has paid attention to all scientific studies and findings in the last year will know that the State of Emergency is no longer justifiable.

The negative outcomes of the emergency measures put in place by the Government can no longer be ignored. The increase in deaths due to suicides, overdoses, not seeking medical treatment on time, family violence etc are not acceptable. Official data shows that there was only 1 death associated with Covid this year. Positive case number simply don't matter, especially if people are asymptomatic.

The Pandemic, if there ever was one, is over and the Parliament must not extend the State of Emergency any longer.

People have had enough of the Government overreach. Our basic human rights are not negotiable! They are your individual rights too. No pay check will wipe your conscience for the criminal decisions made in Australian Parliaments in the past year and a half. It is time to do the right thing and stop this abuse of power.

I am deeply concerned where Australia is heading in terms of safety, democracy and the honouring of our basic rights by officials.

I do not consent to this Amendment.

Best regards Mirjam Hasler