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Dear Committee Members

I am writing to object to your proposed bill amendments, all objectives of the Bill are inconsistent and irrelevant -

The truth is there are NO continuing risks associated with the COVID-19 pandemic - its 2021 now and it is very evident that this is rebranded flu; community transmission is a farce with NO evidence of real threat to anybody.

Any proposals in this Bill are a disgusting ploy to rob citizens of basic rights and freedoms and must be stopped now.

- Cease & desist all plans to further extend the operation of a range of legislative measures implemented to facilitate the health response to COVID-19 and to minimise economic and other impacts
- Do NOT implement additional, minor improvements to those provisions, DO NOT ALLOW
- that quarantine directions may be served electronically DO NOT
- establish a new prepayment system for quarantine fees, including allowing for the prescription of cohorts for whom fees must be paid in advance or for whom fees may be waived, and supporting more flexible payment and collection arrangements (including refund provisions).

Cease and desist all plans for extensions of Parliament emergency powers first implemented in late 2020 and 2021. Take action to immediately rescind the current extensions set to expire on 30 September 2021. There is absolutely NO evidence that supports these measures.

Cease and desist all temporary measures which are proposed to be further extended.

- NO increased powers for emergency officers and the Chief Health Officer to impose restrictions on the movement and interactions of persons, facilitate contact tracing, and enforce quarantine requirements
- NO amendments relating to attendance requirements for meetings of various groups and agencies and for the conduct of proceedings of courts/tribunals and other bodies (including provisions to facilitate remote attendance, voting, and authorisations using audio or audio-visual links)
- NO modified notification requirements (allowing electronic notification) for certain proposals for community consultation or for the issuing of notices to individuals
- NO various amendments relating to planning requirements and environmental approvals
- NO amendments relating to access to relief measures for tenants and commercial lease holders
- NO amendments relating to bodies corporate and the manufactured homes sector (including providing for the deferral of fee contributions and limitations on increases to site rent)
- NO various measures to facilitate the holding of state by-elections and local government by-elections and fresh elections in a COVID-safe manner
- NO provisions enabling variations to liquor licensing to support temporary takeaway sales by operators of licensed venues disrupted by COVID-19
- NO public health related provisions governing the care of persons with a cognitive or intellectual disability, the delivery of mental health services, the operation of prisons and youth detention centres, and related measures.

I remind all committee members that your duty is to care for all people of this community/state of Queensland, in an honest and transparent manner - this proposed bill is a violation of that duty of care.

Sincerely

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