

**PUBLIC HEALTH AND OTHER LEGISLATION (FURTHER EXTENSION OF EXPIRING
PROVISIONS) AMENDMENT BILL 2021**

FORM L SUBMISSION

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To The Honourable Committee Secretary of the Economics and Governance Committee,

I [REDACTED], am writing to express my concerns regarding the extension of emergency powers in QLD 30th April 2022.

I am a small business owner, a mother of three and a very active member of our community here in northern Gold Coast of Queensland.

Outdated democratic principles like these at least need public debate, transparency and Government accountability.

I do not agree with the Governments response to COVID 19 and do not think emergency powers should be extended.

The Government response has been disproportionate to the risk to Australians and the massive amounts of censorship occurring in Australia has left many with opposing views excluded and ignored in managing this response more fairly for Australians and Queenslanders.

WE DO NOT CONSENT TO

1. We are people of the land living within the geographic area known as Australia and we are concerned with the Government response to the COVID-19 virus.
2. We have been informed via press conferences by various Commonwealth and State politicians and public servants and through licensed media consisting of the Australian Broadcasting Corporation, mainstream corporate television and radio and print of the following regarding COVID-19:
 - a. effects;
 - symptoms are mild and that the majority of sufferers fully recover.
 - the mortality rate is not higher than the regular/seasonal influenza. (ABS stats confirm)
 - the average age of the people who have died is above sixty with some in their nineties; with the majority having pre-existing illnesses making them more vulnerable to the effects of this virus.
 1. perceived risks;
 - shortening of the lives by a small number of years (given the ages of those at risk) of a non-specified number of predominantly older Australians.
 1. Government responses (Local, State and Commonwealth);
 - introduction of legislation to limit the free movement of Australians, police powers

to remove people from public spaces.

- threat of financial penalties and imprisonment for people contravening social distancing/quarantine rules.
- forced shutdown of thousands of businesses.
- directly caused the loss of hundreds of thousands of jobs for Australians creating uncertainty and potential mental and physical health problems.
- increased Government debt by hundreds of billions of dollars where it was reported by a mainstream media journalist quoting qualified economists would detrimentally impact the lives of ALL Australians (austerity) for 'generations'.

1. projected outcomes;

- marked increase in suicides under austerity to repay debt for generations (from historical evidence of imposed austerity), and detrimental mental health issues associated with the economical impacts.
- compulsory vaccinations.

We have come to the conclusion on a cost benefit basis all Governments have responded in a grossly disproportionate manner in a material way to COVID-19. Attempting to extend the lives of an unspecified estimated number of already elderly Australians and protecting Australians in general from mild flu like symptoms is not worth subjecting the entire population of ordinary Australians to joblessness, economic hardship for generations, the loss of freedoms won by previous generations of Australian soldiers, a projected increase in the suicide rate, and potential compulsory vaccinations which can offer no guarantee of effectiveness nor the avoidance of associated risks of damaging side-effects.

3. We therefore make the following declarations regarding COVID-19.

Referring to all levels of Government in Australia, We officially **DO NOT CONSENT** the Australian Government response to COVID-19 and hereby retrospectively withdraw any implied consent dating back to 1 January 2020 and do not give ongoing consent for;

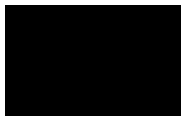
1. all legislation covering all portfolios both State and Commonwealth to have been enacted in Australia.
2. the borrowing of currency incurred as debt.
3. Government funded programs in response to COVID-19.
4. all actions by Australian authorities including but not limited to Police, Military or Council Officers that involve a restriction of the movement of myself or anyone else within Australia that has occurred or may occur.
5. the forced shutdown of any Australian business by any Australian Government or

Government department.

6. the introduction of compulsory or coerced vaccination through legislation or denial of services.

We expect that which we have detailed to be repealed and/or reversed both in legislation and in practice immediately.

Yours Sincerely

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