

Criminal Code (Decriminalising Sex Work) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024

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I'm an Australian wife and mother of two adult sons, who are happily married, giving us 5 grandchildren in total. I'm interested in my country and the way our government is running it. That's why I'm writing this submission to the Queensland Government.

I totally **disagree** with the Queensland Government wanting to fully decriminalise the sex industry. The consequences of this Bill are far reaching and tragic.

This means the sex industry would be given rights and privileges of any other industry group and I am **NOT** happy about that.

I would **NOT** like to have a Brothel next door to my home.

I would **NOT** like my granddaughter to be told by her school career officer that she should try being a prostitute when she left school. That is such a terrible idea because she would be exploited, could catch venereal diseases like Syphilis and HIV/AIDS and not be able to lead a happy, normal life. I am definitely **against this!**

I feel it could lead to more youth crime and suicide as these poor girls feel that that is the only way out.

Please do **NOT** table or pass this Bill.