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To: Health, Communities, Disability Services and Domestic and Family Violence Prevention Committee

Subject: Gay Conversion Therapy Bill

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To Whom it may concern

I am lead to believe that the bill being proposed by the government on Gay Conversion Therapy is not as clear as it should be.

I am lead to believe that it is going to be called a 'gay conversion therapy ban', and by calling it such it is being tricky.

Why would the Government have to use tricky wording in the first place, rather than be up-front about what they want.

If they are using tricky wording in the first place, then they obviously know that the bill is not really about banning so-called 'gay conversion therapies' that don't actually happen. It is about forcing medical professionals to affirm and promote the transgender lifestyle, and by non compliance they could become criminals.

People jump up and down about their rights, well, where is the right of a person to choose not to do something that is against their conscience, something that has always been understood as a legitimate thing.

Anyway, if this is the case, then I'd ask you to oppose it, if it indeed is going to force medical professionals to have to do something that they may well see as dangerous and damaging, and against their moral ethics, and basic conscience. They must be left free to choose to opt out of doing something if they truely do not wish to do it.

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