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Dear sir/Madam

I am writing to you with regard to the vaccination policy that is currently being examined by your committee.

While I do not oppose vaccination for those who wish to undertake it, I strongly oppose the policy which compels parents to vaccinate their children whether they wish to or not.

The public view that those who oppose vaccination are 'stupid' is not supported by the facts about most of the people concerned. The ones that I know are very diligent researchers who have established the risks associated with vaccination and decided that they do not wish to take the risk that their actions might cause their child harm, even permanent damage or death.

These claims are well supported by Reports and articles, such as:

- Data from health authorities which show that there are significant number of children who have suffered adverse reactions and worse from vaccination. Eg. <http://m.watoday.com.au/wa-news/flu-vaccination-ban-goes-national-after-fever-convulsions-in-children-20100422-tg1p.html?stb=fb>
- Articles from people within pharmaceutical companies which question their own internal research and the publication of its findings. Eg. <http://www.collective-evolution.com/2015/07/07/pfizer-vice-president-blows-the-whistle-tells-the-truth-about-the-pharmaceutical-industry/>.
- Articles from Editors of highly regarded Medical Journals that question current research and the reporting only of data that suits current interests. Eg. <http://www.collective-evolution.com/2015/05/16/editor-in-chief-of-worlds-best-known-medical-journal-half-of-all-the-literature-is-false/>
- Research papers that do not receive wide dissemination because they contradict the current viewpoint. Eg. <http://www.greenmedinfo.com/blog/new-autoimmunity-syndrome-linked-aluminum-vaccines?page=1>
- Reports from the FDA that indicate that vaccines can spread diseases .Eg. <http://www.fda.gov/NewsEvents/Newsroom/PressAnnouncements/ucm376937.htm>
- Etc.

I have not included these references in order to oppose vaccination, but rather to show that there is a great deal of reputable information in the public domain that makes the issue of compulsory vaccination a very complex one. The very existence of this information should at least raise doubts in every politician's mind about the legitimacy of this proposed policy.

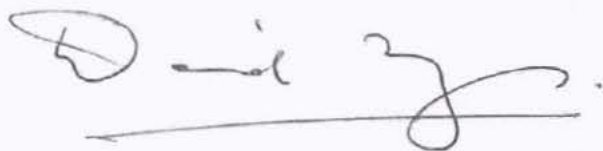
People who oppose vaccination are not 'ratbags' or even zealots, but ordinary people who have taken the time and made the effort to research vaccination for themselves and consequently fear the consequences of having to take an action, because of economic pressures, to which they conscientiously object.

I cannot understand why people who do have their children vaccinated are so fearful of those who don't, to the extent of excluding them from Child Care Centres and Schools and cutting benefits. If they are so confident about the benefits of vaccination then surely they have nothing to fear from unvaccinated children. Why does your government want to punish this small group of individuals who choose to make up their own minds about this important issue?

This legislation should not be passed. It must be left to individual parents to decide on what is best for their own children. Coercion through removing benefits is the worst possible way of achieving an intelligent debate on the benefits of vaccination.

I would appreciate your acknowledgement of this letter.

Yours sincerely

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "David Tulip". The signature is written in a cursive style with a long horizontal line extending from the end of the name.

Dr David Tulip

