

Fighting Antisemitism and Keeping Guns out of the Hands of Terrorists and Criminals Amendment Bill 2026

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We have laws against discrimination, libel & violence already. When they are not enough to stop terrorism, it is usually because the state is not enforcing them. E.g. the Sydney terrorist attack at Bondi was an example of the state (AFP, ASIO, state police, etc.) ignoring risks & warnings & so allowing 2 dangerous men to have guns & go out in public.

The proposed bill threatens to stifle freedom of speech that is NOT harmful. That will make Australia more unstable, less democratic & more unhappy. Stifling harmless political speech (e.g. calling for Palestinian liberation & promoting a global campaign against Israeli oppression) prevents non-violent solutions to problems & thus actually makes violence more likely. As JFK famously said: "those who make peaceful revolution impossible will make violent revolution inevitable."

What will make Australia safer, more stable, more democratic & happier is strict anti-gun laws & a bill of rights to protect our freedom of speech. Please do THIS & please do NOT stifle harmless freedom of speech.