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# Q5: Do you think that human rights are properly protected in Queensland? Why/why not?

State government services like the police need to have a good understanding of what behaviour is acceptable for interactions with LGBTIQA+ people. Once the Act is enshrined in law, it may be easier to training public servants and others to treat people with respect even if we don't fully understand the way they are.

# Q6: Do you support the introduction of a Human Rights Act in Queensland? Why/why not?

I do, because a law in place is a good starting point for developing respectful conversations with minority groups, listening to them and supporting them in the best ways possible to participate equally in our community.

# Q7: Can you think of a situation from your life or someone else's life that shows why Queensland needs a Human Rights Act?

Young Transgender people being shoved by police asking for ID when it is quite difficult for them to get ID in many cases. If the upholders of our law don't feel that LGBTIQA+ people deserve equal respect to mainstream community members, how can we expect the majority of the community to give these people a fair go.

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## Q8: Which rights should be protected?

Right to recognition and equality before the law,

Protection of family and children,

Right to participate in public life,

Protection from torture and cruel, inhuman or degrading treatment

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Cultural rights of ethnic religious or linguistic minorities

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Freedom from forced work, Freedom of movement,

Right to liberty and security of person,

Privacy and reputation,

Humane treatment when deprived on liberty,

Freedom of thought, conscience, religion and belief,

Rights of the children in the criminal process,

Freedom of expression, Right to a fair hearing,

Peaceful assembly and freedom of association,

Protection of rights in criminal proceedings and against retrospective criminal law

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Right to education, Right to adequate health care,

Right to food,

Right to an adequate standard of living,

Right to safe, clean, healthy and sustainable environment

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Participation in cultural life