



4 December 2018

Committee Secretary
Legal Affairs and Community Safety Committee
Parliament House
George Street
Brisbane QLD 4000

By email: LACSC@parliament.qld.gov.au

Dear LACSC,

I refer to the call for submissions in relation to the Human Rights Bill 2018, introduced into Parliament on 31 October 2018.

I apologise for the delay in responding.

I am aware that the deadline for submissions has passed, however, I wish to comment that I consider Parliament is best placed to decide this matter.

In light of this, and the fact that the Bill proposes to ensure public functions are exercised in a way that is compatible with human rights and to consolidate statutory protections, which I believe are in the public interest, I support the introduction of the Bill.

Please do not hesitate to contact me should you wish to discuss further.

Yours sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Nikola Stepanov'.

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