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To: [Legal Affairs and Community Safety Committee](#)
Subject: Dangerous Devices Bill
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Dear Members of Parliament,

I ask you to reject the Dangerous Devices Bill. There is no need for this legislation. Protesters who 'lock on' are acting responsibly and not violently. This legislation is criminalising legitimate protest action with harsh penalties. It dangerously undermines our democracy. It is the thin end of the wedge. Today it will be used against environmental activists fighting not for themselves but for the planet. Tomorrow it will be used against unionists, religious people, anyone prepared to stand up for what matters.

Please reject this Bill.

Yours sincerely

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