

Births, Deaths and Marriages Registration Bill 2022

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The ability to choose your own gender in a legal context is a very important reform that I hope will pass in Queensland. Allowing trans people to be recognised by government bodies will help close the deep divides and mistrust towards the government from the trans community. I live in NSW, where legal sex needs to be changed with surgery. I have considered getting genital surgery that I really do not want because anti-discrimination protections are tied to what your legal sex is. The government should not pressure trans people to undergo medical procedures they do not want to be recognised as their authentic selves.