

RE : New ACMA powers to combat misinformation and disinformation

It is very concerning that people will have their ability to access information from all resources removed. How is anyone able to make an informed choice on any subject matter with out being able to research all sides.

Once we are restricted on what information we are able to access this takes objective criticism away.

The same as if some one is injured and it is recommended they go to hospital they can still refuse to do so. Or recommended chemo cancer treatment but alternative natural treatments are available and people have found these to work but this is withheld because a co-operation may loose money.

We should have access to all information so we can make our own choice on what is good for us. As has been shown on numerous occasions where we are told trust the science but only given research from one perspective, that is not science it is dictatorship.

What classifies something as misinformation? All information can be classed as misinformation by whom ever pays the highest price to have that information classified as such. If we can walk into a Library and access books from all categories, including fiction, majority of people do understand this to be fiction. The same with any information people can choose how they interpret what they have. Hence we need to be able to have access to all information.

As with a contract where there is the small print people can choose to read it or not but whatever they do the consequence is on them. So should the same be for our access to ALL INFORMATION not just what a select few want us to see.