

Comment on the Statutory Review of the Online Safety Act 2021

In the era of technological advancement where information spreads almost instantly, it is impossible for corrupt, compromised and criminal governments to maintain the status quo. Current days are complicated and problematic for elected officials or institutions that are not governing for the benefit of their constituents, but are instead representing other interests. The manipulation, the corruption, and crime, easily become public knowledge because of the speed the truth is shared via various media and devices. This is what freedom of speech looks like in its purest form. It's the antidote to propaganda. It simply unmasks misleading news and reveals the truth.

A credible honest government would have no problems with free speech and expression because there would be no incriminating news to share.

Since the disastrous Covid-19 pandemic response, with the unprecedented abuse of power that hurt Australians in all shape and form, the government is hell-bent to muzzle the nation. There is not one person that I know to agree with the latest disinformation / misinformation / e-safety / digital-id imposed legislations. They are not what we Australians want or need. So it begs the question what is the Australian government actually doing? Who is it representing and what interests?

Our governing system acts as if being hijacked by alienated politicians that have disconnected from the public. I recently read an article with the following saying: We are governed by criminals, when exposing a crime is treated as committing a crime. This is the point where our system has been brought to. Disgraceful. Stop the charade before the nation has been destroyed to no return.

You have demonstrated incapability and ignorance to represent the people with honesty and integrity. You were the single source of misinformation and disinformation during the manufactured COVID pandemic. You have lost all credibility, therefore in the name of national safety we the people propose legislation that criminalizes elected officials who make false statements, as well as false statements made by nominated officials from government institutions.

You can start regaining some integrity with a public apology for the damages caused by the recommendations of mRNA injections and the suppression of harmless effective COVID-19 treatments; and the government to offer reparations for the caused damage and harm.

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