

Online safety is a legitimate concern and there need to be better protections for kids in particular but I am concerned that this bill as it stands is ripe for abuse. It could easily be used to censor queer content and deprive young people of valuable educational material. Internet censorship is already doing this eg social media platforms censor queer content but not equivalent straight & cisgender content, and I know of a sex educator that made a youtube video explaining aspects of puberty for kids and it was age restricted because she discussed eg wet dreams, making it useless - and she had created the video specifically because she knew there were kids who weren't getting this information anywhere else. This is unacceptable. I am part of the queer community myself and we don't want to be collateral damage in this. Please rethink and do better.