

**Submission  
No 2**

## **PROVISION OF ALCOHOL TO MINORS**

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Parliament N.S.W.  
Legislative Assembly,  
Social Policy Committee  
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Attention: Bruce Motley-Smith M.P. (Chair).

Re: Inquiry into provision of alcohol to minors.

Dear Sir,

Because of driving licences issued at 15 yrs of age, lets give teenagers a turn at driving without the temptation of booze for a few years & raise the drinking age to 21 years. a lot of parents will support me here.

Most parents whether they are single, heterosexual, gay, disability pensioned would be happy to only provide booze to minors on special occasions e.g. 21st, 50th, weddings etc at a recommended amounts e.g. 3 drinks between say 8pm-12am.

Wine is potent - it's full of activating chemicals (champagne is deadly) that turns drunkards quite quickly. It dries skin & causes sagging in skin as well. You may have to employ some sort of monitoring system (which won't be popular) to keep an eye on social matters.

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Regards - Karen Newton (No reply required)