

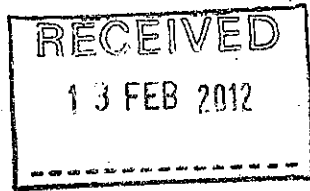
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**INQUIRY INTO EDUCATION AMENDMENT (ETHICS
CLASSES REPEAL) BILL 2011**

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Parliament House



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Dear Sir/Madam,

I write to support the continuation of ethics classes in NSW. If any investigation is held then fairness dictates that a parallel investigation is held into special religious classes.

If the Act is repealed children will again have nothing to do if they opt out of SRE!

Why discriminate against those who opt out?

My experience of religious education was deplorable - a process of indoctrination and dogma and narrow mindedness.

Please do not repeal the Act.

Yours faithfully,
Andrew Zelenkowsky, MR BS JP DA.