

INQUIRY INTO SAME SEX MARRIAGE LAW IN NSW

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The definition of marriage to be between a man and woman should be preserved.

The proposed changes are not necessary. Tolerance of same sex unions can continue without these changes. These changes force all to condone same sex unions (not just tolerate).

The proposed changes are detrimental to men and women who have already entered into "marriage". It redefines the institution into which they have entered.

Even from a natural viewpoint, same-sex unions are unnatural. This is evident when considering our anatomy, or the histology of the genital tract.

History declares that increased prevalence of same-sex unions is a marker for social degradation and eventual destruction.

From a Christian perspective, same-sex unions are forbidden, and are considered sin before God. On the other hand, marriage (between a man and woman) is held in very high regard. The sexual relationship in the proper context of marriage between a man and wife is encouraged. The key is that this relationship is only acceptable within the sanctity of marriage: lifelong vows between a man and woman. The proposed changes would destroy this distinction of the institution of marriage.