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**INQUIRY INTO EDUCATION AMENDMENT (ETHICS  
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I have examined the available information and comment as follows:

The material in the "Ethics" classes is a proven failure at producing real ethical behavior. The material taught in these classes is actually wrong, and definitely not scientifically proven. I am informed reliably that the students find the material uninteresting and therefore do not absorb or adopt it.

I therefore am against the "Ethics" classes, and find the alternative of SRE to be a much better option, both for the individual and for society.

Please ensure that my views are conveyed to the committee.

Regards

John Webster