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INQUIRY INTO SAME SEX MARRIAGE LAW IN NSW

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Marriage is an age-old institution, which identifies the natural union of a man and a women for both relationship and procreation. It sets the foundation for child rearing, giving the balanced input of both the father and mother to the nurturing process that helps make a child into a well rounded adult. Our country has a rich heritage and there is no reason to change its laws, allowing for the fact that any citizen is already at liberty to live within the current system in whatever lifestyle that suits him/her. I am concerned not only at the fact that this law should change to appeal to a small though loud minority, but that each state may adapt its own law. This should definitely at least remain a federal issue.