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**INQUIRY INTO CEMETERIES AND CREMATORIA  
AMENDMENT REGULATION 2018**

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I would like to register my strong objection to the Cemetary and Crematoria Amendment Regulation 2018. I sincerely believe this is a really unethical and traumatic to make a law that allows for graves to be dug up. When people BUY a burial plot, this is the spot they have chosen to be laid to rest. This provides peace and allows people to visit and grieve in the knowledge that their loved one is resting and at peace. To think that this peace could be shattered is quite frankly unacceptable. This state government more than any other has set about destroying so much of what we hold dear. Giving away essential services (Privatisation of Disability Setvices, and other decimation of public assets) and general attitude towards its citizens. This is yet another attempt at cash grabbing. This is something which will have a terrible impact on people who have relatives in a cemetary. My mother lost her big sister 80 years ago at the age of 11 to pneumonia. She is buried in a cemetary and we still visit tonpaybour respects. It is somewhere we can go to remember her. My grandparents would be absolutely devastated to know this could happen. My grandfather, many of my husbands family are laid to rest and and this change in law will affect all of them.

Please reconsider this law.

I would also think that the consultation process in this case (as recent experience has shown me) has been non existent or at best totally inadequate. T

his law is unacceptable to me and my family.