

**Submission
No 133**

**INQUIRY INTO ANTI-DISCRIMINATION AMENDMENT
(COMPLAINT HANDLING) BILL 2020**

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Dear Parliamentarians

Please pass this bill that calls for vexatious litigation to cease as a means for silencing and attacking people for exercising their rights to free speech. The enormous cost to taxpayers as a result of courts sitting to hear vexatious complaints is a burden that should not be borne in our present straitened circumstances, with this money rather being used by the government to support so many families out of work and struggling with little or no income. Litigants should be made to fund their own cases, rather than the taxpayer, and only refunded for costs where a case is successfully proved.

Yours Faithfully

Neil Mansfield