

Submission
No 19

**INQUIRY INTO ROAD TRANSPORT AMENDMENT
(MEDICINAL CANNABIS-EXEMPTIONS FROM
OFFENCES) BILL 2021**

Name: Miss Karen McMahan

Date Received: 16 April 2022

I am treated for Chronic pain with Medicinal Cannabis. I am prescribed a low dose CBD/THC Oil and flower for evening insomnia and pain. If I am required to drive I always stop medication 48 hours prior to driving. I was arrested and charged with Driving under the influence of a illegal substance and lost my licence for 12 months and also a 12 month good behaviour bond. Under no time have I driven whilst impaired I am cautious and responsible with my prescriptions and feel unfairly treated things definitely need to change as I fear next time I may be imprisoned for using medication prescribed by my physician.