

**INQUIRY INTO IMPACT OF THE REGULATORY
FRAMEWORK FOR CANNABIS IN NEW SOUTH WALES**

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I am concerned that plant medicine patients are being unfairly targeted by drug driving laws. Medicinal cannabis stays in the system for weeks and we have a situation where valued community members could lose their jobs, homes, and reputations for driving when they are no longer under the influence of their prescription medicine. Australia needs to join Europe and the USA in switching the emphasis from testing to an assessment of impairment wherever irregular driving is observed.