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

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I'm a medical cannabis patient I would like to point out that the framework around Cannabis is frankly ridiculous are you aware that medical Cannabis patients don't want overdosing opioid pills that kill we would rather have medical cannabis a natural healing herb with zero recorded deaths in history . Unfortunately medical cannabis is extremely expensive so unless you are rich or willing to put yourself in debt you can't afford it . Why do our politicians think the current framework is helping cannabis patients when we can't afford our medication because the government refuses to put cannabis on the Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme. If cannabis was put on the Pharmaceutical Benefits Scheme it would be affordable so medical cannabis patients could actually afford their medication. I would also like to point out that the sky didn't fall in when Tasmania legalised letting medical patients drive and the sky also didn't fall in when Australia's capital city legalised growing a few cannabis plants please start listening to science and facts the public have had enough of the politicians playing god with our life .