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Dear Mr James Strickland

Thank you for inviting TSANZ to comment on the proposed Bill.

The purpose of amendment is to broaden the disclosure of information by the Australian Organ and Tissue Authority, DonateLife Agencies, grant recipients and authorised family members about deceased organ or tissue donors or recipients.

While TSANZ fully supports national community education and awareness programs and appreciates the importance of personal stories, as health professionals we believe it remains paramount that any details disclosed about organ donors and recipients is done so in a manner that maintains the appropriate privacy and anonymity of donors/recipients pairs.

Kind regards
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