

Submission for Social Security (Administration) Amendment (Income Management Reform) Bill 2023.

To whom it may concern.

I am glad to see the changes from the CDC to a much better optional income management scheme.

This bill must have safety provisions that will prevent future governments to change this Legislation that will be forced onto pensioners in the near future. Also prevent the privatised CDC of ever returning and people on social security being forced into such a scheme.

We need a legislation to stop the discrimination and vilification towards anyone on social security payments from either the government and the media.

The CDC should of never targeted pensioners unless they have volunteered for it.

Hopefully the new bill for the enhanced income management and smart card will offer better services for people who wish to be on IM.

We cannot let the LNP try and force another privatised CDC on social security recipients ever again. If LNP ever gain power again they will try to they are itching to.

Social security is a right a human right and no one who is on social security should be treated like a 2nd class citizen and shamed.

The LNP CDC was a failure and it destroyed lives.

We cannot let that happen ever again.

Our social security and pensions must be protected at all means.

I am on a DSP and extremely relieved that the cessation of the CDC. I know how to budget my own pension money I don't need to be forced on a cashless debit card. I am not for sale (take the hint LNP) I am a human being not a commodity.

Best Regards