

To Whom it may concern,

I have been a celebrant for just over two years and have performed only six marriages it has taken me a long time to become known and established . Consequentially i have outlaid over ten thousand dollars with PA ,OPD's ,Advertising , Website etc. and have nowhere near recuperated this amount and to have this extra expense of registration every year would make me remove myself from celebrancy as i simply could not afford it at least until i came square with my outlay . Maybe if i had been an established and well known practicing celebrant for a number of years it would have been affordable, but i am trying to survive on an aged pension, and supplementing it with celebrancy. I think it is very unfair to put this revenue raising tax on people who are doing a service for the community .I love my work but i will have to resign if this tax goes ahead .

Thank you for listening to me

Yours faithfully

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