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Submission - International Criminal Court -
Joint Standing Committee on Treaties,

Dear Sirs —

Submission No. 124

I ask you not to ratify this Treaty, and not to enact the provisions of the International Criminal Court into Australia's domestic law.

Our national sovereignty is under threat.

● The Courts decisions would override Australia's parliaments & courts - Australia would give power to the ICC.

● The ICC has "universal jurisdiction" to enforce laws that are not in our domestic law.

● The Court has power over "murder, extermination, persecution, inhumane acts as well as genocide and war crimes"

One judge has allegedly said she would like to indict the pope ----

● Terms such as "genocide" can be interpreted by the Court as discrimination against homosexuals.

● Excessive penalties of 30 years or life imprisonment can be given by the ICC.

This is excessive, draconian & tyrannical.

This would totally change our current laws.

This is appalling.

Please, I beg you, do not support this Bill.

Yours faithfully, from Carole Christianson.

● Our Australian Constitution was devised by God-fearing, Bible-believing Christian men.

