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To whom it concerns

Multiculturalism is good when the immigrants are prepared to live according to the values and customs of Australia. These are based on the Judaeo-Christian ethic and have served Australia well. Other people and their cultures can enrich our own lives.

But it is bad when some immigrants want to change Australian laws and demand special treatment for themselves. The only religious group which does this is Islam. Muslims take advantage of our tolerance and want Sharia law introduced which includes freedom to wear the burqua, special rights at swimming pools and the right to pray in streets etc.

Australia should learn from the problems caused in the U.K. and Europe with an open immigration policy for Muslims.

Personally I'd like to have a block on Muslim immigration for a few years so we can take stock of the situation.

Yours sincerely,