Dear Senate Inquiry - Shared Parental Responsibility Bill 2005

This is a my submission to the Senate Inquiry into the provisions of the Family Law Amendment (Shared Parental Responsibility) Bill 2005

A fathers input is different and unique in a child's life, even if the mother doesn't agree with all of the father's ways or ideas - it is a child's - I emphasize a child's right to have their father's input into their upbringing - not the mothers right to act as if she is some sort of sole owner of a child-no-one owns anybody. If men don't have the right to parenting they should not have to pay maintenance.

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Thank you for reading my submission

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