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Dear Sir

I am one among the many thousands of concerned citizens who has not seen the legislation embodied in the Emergency Response Bill; my appreciation is that it comes to some hundreds of pages and will dramatically affect property and human rights and the relationship between indigeneous people and the rest of Australia. These matters are far too important to be rushed through without long and detailed consideration and input from those interested as one would expect from a proper Senate enquiry.

I urge this committee to abandon the pretence that this can be a proper enquiry and for all members to vote for such a proper enquiry to be held before voting on the bill.

Yours Faithfully

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