

RE: Marriage Equality Amendment Bill 2009 - Omit 'husband and wife', substitute 'two people'.

I wish to advise that I am opposed to the bill amendment listed above.

Marriage as we know it in Australia is based mainly on Christian rites, beliefs and principles. I believe it is essential that we keep the existing law, as a base for our country. That Law has been a major strength in our two hundred year history and should not be lightly discarded.

Consequently I believe that a marriage should only be between a man and a woman.

Kind regards