To the Senate Legal and Constitutional Affairs Committee

I am very concerned and strongly oppose the Marriage Equality Bill 2009, as it is disregarding the sanctity of the marriage covenant and purpose for procreating. Additionally, psychology research has shown that 80% of a girl's identity comes from her father, and a boy's identity is 50% from his mother and father; if you support the taking of these identity figures from a child's life, you are hindering their welfare before they even begin in life. The family institution needs to be protected; we can see in our society the great detriment that follows in the next generation with broken homes, kids without a father or mother, please let's not exasperate this concern further.

I hope you will sincerely consider, Thankyou,