To the Legal & Constitutional Legislation Affairs Committee,

I am writing regarding the "Marriage Equality" bill. I'm writing to strongly disagree with the stated aims of Senator Hanson-Young's bill to recognize 'freedom of sexuality' and to celebrate 'diversity'. Whilst these may be the intended purpose of a gay mardi gras, these are not the values of marriage.

Marriage is about love, commitment, fidelity, and the stable nurturing of children which are the product of a marriage between a man and a woman. These qualities are the building blocks of our society and as such should not be allowed to be undermined by a minority.

Any political party or politician who supports such a bill that undermines the values of marriage between a man and a woman, I believe are not making a decision that is beneficial to the future of our society. They will not receive my support in any future elections.

Yours sincerely,