I believe in the equality of all people regardless of race, religion *and* sexuality. I am dismayed that it is acceptable for society to discriminate against those who are homosexual and disappointed that some elected officials would strive to have this discrimination continue.

There are no rational reasons to deny homosexuals the right to marry. These people's rights should be protected by the Federal government in the same way that the rest of society is. I call on the Australian Parliament to recognise same-sex marriage under Australian law and ensure future generations do not suffer the same prejudices that afflict same-sex couples in the current day.

Thank you very much,

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