

CHANGE LEGISLATION NOW!

Unfortunately this year my partner of 5 years and I had to travel to our more liberal neighbouring country of New Zealand in order to perform our much longed for civil union. It appears that New Zealand's legislation is far more advanced than that of Australia's. I think Australia has much to change in the way of equality. I must question the value of my Australian citizenship. How can I be a citizen of Australia if I do not receive the full list of rights available to citizens? After spending time living in different European nations it is clear to me that a country so advanced as Australia is still so far behind. Not only are rights for homosexuals far more equal in the United Kingdom, but such legislation has assisted in the change of public opinion towards homosexuals in the UK. For once I want to be proud of the nation where I was born. To the Australian Government; make this happen, make me proud to be Australian and make all other homosexuals proud of our fine country. Legalise Same-Sex marriage and stop the hatred.