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Inquiry Name: Inquiry into End of Life Choices

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My son Joe Waterman ordered Nembutal from China by post through the Exit a International Web Site.on the 10th of January by taking Nembutal. Philip Nitschke has publicly called my son a liar because he lied about his age and said he was not mentally ill. Joe was 25 and suicidal. His family were not aware he was suicidal.

This Web Site s easily accessible to anyone who has access to the internet. Suiciding by taking Nembutal is a very peaceful and tempting method to suicide. Much more tempting and alluring than hanging or jumping of a cliff which of course is violent.

Why the government allows and ignores this website and Philip Nitschke to advertising and making

profit from assisting people like my son to suicide is reprehensible. What is the problem? Stop this narcissist. It's obvious that he is not interested in what is right or wrong. He is interested in publicity and the profits he makes.

This method of suicide will become more common and the Australian government already appear to be fools by ignoring these assisted suicides.

Hopefully this submission will be read. You cannot imagine the pain our family is going through. Please don't allow this to continue to happen to other suicidal people.

Regards  
Mary Waterman