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Are Victorian laws adequately meeting people's expectations regarding medical options available at the end of their life?

The answer is a resounding no!

We who choose to, have the right to say how we want to leave this mortal coil, in the surroundings we choose, with people who love us and at a time and in a place that is right for us.

In an enlightened society, we should be able to ask for the assistance or the knowledge necessary, to make a legal, peaceful, pain free, as dignified exit as possible.

The current situation where a person has given themselves the death they want/need, and then their friends and family are arrested, hounded and their lives made a living hell, is beyond appalling.

When the time comes and I decide I can no longer live a particular way, I will not be interested in some professional telling me what palliative care has to offer. My life, my choice= my death, my choice

The State and churches have no right to tell me the how, when, where of my death.

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