

Inquiry into the use of Cannabis in Victoria

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Organisation Name:
Your position or role:

SURVEY QUESTIONS

Drag the statements below to reorder them. In order of priority, please rank the themes you believe are most important for this Inquiry into the use of Cannabis in Victoria to consider::

Accessing and using cannabis, Education, Young people and children, Public health, Public safety, Social impacts, Mental health, Criminal activity

What best describes your interest in our Inquiry? (select all that apply) :

Individual

Are there any additional themes we should consider?

Select all that apply. Do you think there should be restrictions on the use of cannabis? :

Personal use of cannabis should be legal. ,Sale of cannabis should be legal and regulated. ,Cultivation of cannabis for personal use should be legal.

YOUR SUBMISSION

Submission:

Criminal sanctions for a social habit such as consuming cannabis is waste of police and criminal justice resources, not to mention the severe impact a criminal conviction has on an individual.

Many jurisdictions around the world have legalized consumption, sale and production of cannabis to no ill effect. Sales tax on cannabis has made it a revenue source for the government instead of expenditure on criminal justice.

It is time for a more progressive approach to legalize, regulate and tax cannabis as the current approach is an abject failure.

Do you have any additional comments or suggestions?:

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