

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

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.,Other – please explain.

Drug driving laws should reflect impairment, not on if a chemical is detectable.

YOUR SUBMISSION

Submission:

I grew up in California and legalization is going pretty there. I'm sure you've studied all of the situations overseas. I am in favor of legalization.

One thing that surprised me after moving here was how strict the drug driving laws are. I think that they miss the point entirely and don't help with safety at all. I've read online that people can test positive for cannabis 24 hours later and get a DUI while being perfectly clear headed. It just seems like a roundabout way of criminalizing drug use even. Additionally, if someone were consuming cannabis every day, they would never be able to successfully pass drug driving tests and this would make them choose between limiting their mobility or risk being caught.

Do you have any additional comments or suggestions?:

Student visa/non-Australian citizen.

FILE ATTACHMENTS

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