

Inquiry into the Government's response to the Covid-19 pandemic

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Submission:

I am writing regarding the concerns with extended State of Emergency, extended lockdown, and Omnibus Regulation, excessive and abusive police misconduct, and investigation about Premier and Chief Health Office regarding their abuse on hotel quarantine inquiry dated back to 27th March.

First of all, this Premier has no more reliability and accountability after he didn't take the responsibility for hotel quarantine inquiry. That incident caused second wave and moreover the dramatic stage 4 lockdown in Victoria. They need to be scrutinised and possibly they need to be withdrawn from their positions until the inquiry is complete. The Premier is either lying and don't reveal the truth or he is right by saying he had no idea about employing security guards. In either case there is incompetence and misconduct. After all damage he caused to Victoria, he needs to removed his position immediately.

This Premier has no right to legislate any new regulation and dictate voluntarily made regulations on people, because his incompetence or misconduct caused the tragedy of second wave. He needs to be sacked if possible.

Secondly, I want to write about extended state of emergency and stage 4 lockdown. This Premier and his team caused the second wave and they are punishing Victorians for their mistakes rather than resigning. In Sweden there wasn't any lockdown from the beginning and they dealt with the virus very successfully. I believe Victorians are as educated as Swedish and they would do voluntarily what was supposed to do. It is an insult and breach of basic human rights to mandate masks, limit people's lives to distance and duration (initial 5km and 1 hour rule). These regulations need to be scrutinised and investigated by the parliament. The Premier and his team need to account for all these stage 4 restrictions. Also this matter showed us the current voting system regarding passing a new regulation in the parliament needs to be changed. In extension of state of emergency the case was 20 to 21. Only with one vote the destiny of Victoria changed. It is mandatory to change this to pass a new regulation only if majority is established (at least 2/3 of all votes or something similar). Also the parliament needs to stop the government to extend State of Emergency for another 4 weeks. There are even less cases than other states now. It is unreasonable to extend it any further.

Victoria Police needs to be investigated and scrutinised after establishing excessive powers with State of Emergency. I watched and read news with excessive police misconduct where police enters people's premises without any consent, slams people's windows and shows physical violence. Personally, I have been suffering from police helicopters for last 4 months. I lodged a complaint report with the police but no response was given. Victoria Police lost its reliability and these excessive powers need to be take away

immediately. On 21st October between 00:30am and 1:30am a police helicopter was making circles around my home in Altona Meadows voluntarily which caused me physical and mental distress. This is enough reason to sue Victoria Police. The Police Minister, Chief Police Officers need to be investigated and possibly sacked as well. They caused immense suffering for the community.

After all these misconduct and abuse done by the Parliament, the government and Victoria Police the Omnibus regulation was passed by the parliament which is a shame for the community. That regulation changes Victoria's claim "Place to Be" to "Place to Avoid and Escape". Victoria is becoming a China like state and the parliament is so quiet about this which is shame. I request all parliament members who voted to pass Omnibus regulation need to be scrutinised and investigated as well, because I think they might have got some secret deals with the government.

The Parliament need to take Omnibus and State of Emergency legislations to the court to stop it. If the Parliament is working for the Victorian community, they need to take any action to stop these criminal regulations passed. It is such a shame that the Premier, his government and Victoria Police are rewarded by passing these new laws rather than being investigated and sacked after proving their incompetence, misconduct and abuse.

I am reading news and seeing that incompetence of the government continues by testing 650 people in hotel quarantine with the same test kit. I think the government is the virus at the moment and harm Victoria at most. They need to be sacked immediately if they don't show the honour to resign.

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