

Dear Apolline,

I had previously asked that if the submission was not accepted to provide the reason.

No reason was provided in the email below.

I hereby invoke my representational powers and insist that the Public Servants that serve the public provide a reason why my submission was rejected. ( unpublished)

I believe my submission has met the requirements set down by the committee, albeit setting some ground rules as per the Australian Constitution,

Am I to take from the rejection of my submission that the Australian Government is not correctly constitutionally formed.

Regards

**From:** Community Affairs, Committee (SEN) <Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au>

**Sent:** Monday, 19 August 2024 10:24 AM

**Cc:** Community Affairs, Committee (SEN) <Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au>

**Subject:** RE: Senate Community Affairs References Committee: Inquiry into Excess Mortality

Good morning Sir

I am writing to inform you that the committee has considered your request to review its decision to accept your document as correspondence. The committee has resolved that your document is unpublished correspondence and will not be further reviewed.

Kind regards,

Apolline

**Apolline Kohen** | Committee Secretary

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**From:** Community Affairs, Committee (SEN) <Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, July 16, 2024 8:52 AM  
**Cc:** Community Affairs, Committee (SEN) <Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au>  
**Subject:** RE: Senate Community Affairs References Committee: Inquiry into Excess Mortality

Good morning Sir,

Thank you for your email and for your call yesterday evening. Your request will be considered by the committee at its next regular private meeting, which is scheduled for mid-August. We will let you know of the outcome after the meeting.

Kind regards,  
Grace

Grace Holt | A/g Senior Research Officer

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**Sent:** Monday, July 15, 2024 5:12 PM  
**To:** Community Affairs, Committee (SEN) <[Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au](mailto:Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au)>  
**Subject:** Re: Senate Community Affairs References Committee: Inquiry into Excess Mortality

Dear Grace,

Could you please submit my submission back to the Committee for consideration to be published, and if not reasons why.

Cheers

**From:** Community Affairs, Committee (SEN) <[Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au](mailto:Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au)>  
**Sent:** Monday, 15 July 2024 4:23 PM  
**Cc:** Community Affairs, Committee (SEN) <[Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au](mailto:Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au)>  
**Subject:** RE: Senate Community Affairs References Committee: Inquiry into Excess Mortality

Dear Sir,

Thank you for your email and sincere apologies for the delay in getting back to you.

Any material received to a Senate inquiry becomes a committee document upon receipt. In accordance with standard Senate procedure, it is for the committee to decide whether to accept material as evidence and whether to publish it. As per the advice on the '[making a submission](#)' page, submissions:

- clearly address some or all of the terms of reference
- are relevant and highlight your own perspective
- are concise, generally no longer than four to five pages
- begin with a short introduction about yourself or the organisation you represent
- emphasise the key points so that they are clear
- outline not only what the issues are but how problems can be addressed, as the committee looks to submissions for ideas to make recommendations
- only include documents that directly relate to your key points
- only include information you would be happy to see published on the internet.

Any correspondence that contained unparliamentary, inflammatory or defamatory language was also not accepted.

While your correspondence was not published, please be assured that all material was carefully considered by the committee and has helped inform the committee's views.

The committee's report will be tabled on 31 August 2024 and will be available on the committee's website at that time.

Kind regards,  
Community Affairs Secretariat

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**Sent:** Friday, July 12, 2024 12:25 PM

**To:** Community Affairs, Committee (SEN) <[Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au](mailto:Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au)>

**Cc:** Rennick, Gerard (Senator) <[Senator.Rennick@aph.gov.au](mailto:Senator.Rennick@aph.gov.au)>; Roberts, Malcolm (Senator) <[Senator.Roberts@aph.gov.au](mailto:Senator.Roberts@aph.gov.au)>; Babet, Ralph (Senator Office) <[Senator.Babet@aph.gov.au](mailto:Senator.Babet@aph.gov.au)>

**Subject:** Re: Senate Community Affairs References Committee: Inquiry into Excess Mortality

Dear unnamed person from the Community Affairs Committee,

I have taken time to prepare my submission and tried to ensure it was addressed to the correct entity.

If you think you can randomly select the submissions to be published what bias are you displaying.

My Submission was not offensive, I properly cited literature and made factual statements.

Please advise the reasons why you will not accept my submission.

I call upon the CC Senators to review my submission as attached and why the submission was rejected.

**From:** Community Affairs, Committee (SEN) <[Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au](mailto:Community.Affairs.Sen@aph.gov.au)>

**Sent:** Friday, 12 July 2024 10:07 AM

**Subject:** Senate Community Affairs References Committee: Inquiry into Excess Mortality

THE SENATE

**STANDING COMMITTEE ON COMMUNITY AFFAIRS  
References Committee**

Good morning,

**Inquiry into Excess Mortality**

Thank you for your correspondence to the Community Affairs References Committee's inquiry into excess mortality. The committee is grateful that you have taken the time to write and share your views on this matter.

Correspondence provided to the committee becomes a committee document, and it is for the committee to decide how it wishes to receive that information. This includes whether to receive it as a formal submission and whether to publish it. The committee reviews all documents it receives, and this is not an automated process.

The committee has decided to accept your document as **correspondence**. This means that the committee has noted the issues you have raised, but your statement has not been accepted as a

submission and will not be published on the committee's website. Please note that if you choose to publish your correspondence, it will not be protected by parliamentary privilege.

While not published on the committee's webpage, please be assured that statements received as correspondence do help the committee to progress its understanding of the issues it is considering as part of the inquiry.

The committee's final report is due to be tabled in the Senate on 31 August 2024 and will be available on the committee's website at that time.

Thank you again for your participation in this inquiry.

Yours sincerely,

Community Affairs Committee

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