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**Subject:** RE: Consultation - Currency (Restrictions on the Use of Cash) Bill 2019

Dear Sir / Madam,

As an Australia citizen, it is within my civil duties and civil rights to point out that this Bill troubles me in every perceivable way.

Being able to use cash however we like, so long as our purchase does not contradict any law of land is one of the God-given common rights, a vital part of economy freedom and the foundation of human rights. By restricting this right, the Treasury is invading our civil liberty. That is simply wrong in every way in a democratic country like Australia.

No to mention that combining with the fact that the Bail-in law (Financial Sector Legislation Amendment - Crisis Resolution Powers and Other Measures - Bill 2017) passed last year, the Treasury is now essentially and purposefully locking the working middle class of Australians in the banking system where our deposit could be taken by the bank freely in time of crisis.

In addition, there are far better ways to crack down the black economy, for example the ATO auditing mechanism. I believe that mechanism is working alright thus far. Otherwise, why have not the Treasury proposed this Bill before the Bail-in law? As a citizen I have to ask, have the legislators not given efficient power to ATO to crack down black economy in the past? If not, why have you not done your job that we elected you to do? If yes, that means the current mechanism is working well. Then if the current mechanism works well, why did the Treasury propose this new Bill last week? Please help me see the logic here.

In essence, I strongly oppose this Bill as it threatens the very core of democracy and liberty. And I urge the Treasury to drop the Bill, if not withstanding sufficient changes to the current draft.

Your faithfully,

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