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To whom it may concern

I am writing to you to express my opposition to the proposed bill ‘Currency (restrictions on the use of cash) Bill 2019.

This bill has been out for public comment for less than 3 weeks with insufficient effort made to bring this bill to the attention of the public. Such a bill having a wide spread impact on all Australians needs to be widely publicised on all main stream media and social media to permit sufficient public debate.

The proposed bill removes Australians freedom to choose how to spend their money. The freedom to use cash and conduct transactions external to the Australian banking system is a right enjoyed by all Australians and the government should not seek to intervene.

The sneaky means to get such a bill through public comment with restricted media coverage leads me to believe the government is not disclosing the full facts surrounding the true nature of the intent of the bill and such intentions should be made available to the Australian people.

Kind regards

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