

I am 58 years old. I am single and do not have children. In August 2020 I was diagnosed with a terminal illness.

I wish to share my superannuation between my nieces and nephews. I can only access my superannuation if 2 doctors certify I will die within 2 years – no GP will do so. “We don’t have crystal balls” was the response. I have outlived the original death notice timeframe.

I have been forced to nominate my solicitor as my benefactor. She doesn’t really want the responsibility but my Executor is a woman in similar circumstances to mine – single, no children; and not a direct relative.

The current legislation is discriminatory. Freydenburg and Morrison declared “it’s your money”. So why can’t I access it? I won’t reach 67. I want my money. My income is the DSP. My medications and medical bills are expensive. My super would be a great help.

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