I, would like to register my opposition to the Private Members' Bill, sponsored by Senator Bob Brown called the Australian Capital Territory (Self-Government) Amendment (Disallowance and Amendment Power of the Commonwealth) Bill 2010.

Such a bill could be used to allow state legislation providing for voluntary euthanasia, a practise I believe to be contrary to the dignity of the human person, and dimishes the dignity of the medical profession. It is not in the best interests of the country to pass legislation that could allow further legislation such as this to be enacted.