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*Inquiry into the Australian Capital Territory (Self-Government) Amendment  
(Disallowance and Amendment Power of the Commonwealth) Bill 2010*

**Dear Sir/Madam,**

I wish to put on the record the Australian Family Association's opposition to Senator Bob Brown's *Australian Capital Territory (Self-Government) Amendment (Disallowance and Amendment Power of the Commonwealth) Bill 2010*.

This bill is nothing but a blatant attempt to support the introduction of euthanasia and recognition of same-sex relationships, including possibly gay marriage.

Furthermore, the idea that territories should have states' rights when they are territories is simply absurd.

If Senator Brown wishes the territories to have states' rights, he should encourage the territories to seek statehood.

Yours sincerely,

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