I, Norlie Dooma, ) 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 bring in Euthanasia and Homosexual Civil Unions that will mimic marriage, both of which I reject as not being in the best interests of our Nation or the families, senior citizen and children of our nation.

An alternative to amending the definition of marriage to allow homosexuals to marry (which is itself a misnomer in form and substance), a more appropriate solution would be to allow them the same recognition of status and maintenance rights of that of de facto couples. There is no need to change the definition of marriage that of which has been established and accepted by many cultures and civilisations for centuries and will ensure that equality is maintained in our Australian society today.

Kind regards,

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