

To whom it concerns,

I am extremely worried that the Australian Government is proposing a backwards move with extending the Northern Territory Intervention for 10 more years. This goes against the wishes and concerns of Aboriginal people across the Territory, and will lead to 10 more years of disempowerment and despair in their communities.

Cooperation is what is needed - and called for by many community groups and civil societies across Australia. Consultation as the communities agree to it, not as decided by the Government alone.

Please reconsider,

Rebecca Taylor