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To: Committee Secretary
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Dear Committee Secretary,

I, MaCson Queiroz, Suite 301, Level 3/727 George St, Haymarket, NSW, Tel. (02)8006-0463, Registered Migration Agent, MARN0105673, make the following submission to the Senate Standing Committees on Legal and Constitutional Affairs in response to the Senate Inquiry into the Migration Amendment (Regulation of Migration Agents) Bill 2017.

I strongly believe this Bill should not be enacted because if enacted, would prohibit legal practitioners from registering, or retaining their registration, as RMAs (prohibition). In my view, the proposed prohibition unintentionally benefits well-established law firms to the detriment of thousands of consumers, small businesses, immigration agencies, legal practitioners holding restricted practising certificates (Graduate Legal Practitioners) and community groups.

I urge you, please, to consider my reasoning for this contention.

Kind regards,
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