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## TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

Homoeopathy has been a part of my family for the last 19 years. I have seen it be of immense assistance to my daughter during her three pregnancies and subsequent births, not to mention the illnesses it has cured over this time for both her family and myself. I have found it to be extremely effective and at no stage have I ever had any adverse side-effects.

The current TGA Consultation process concerns me greatly that both myself and my family will not be able to receive the same level of treatment that I have been accustomed to over the last 19 years.

At the very least, I would ask that the **TGA choose the regulatory OPTION 1 or 2**, allowing homoeopathic products to continue to be sold within Australia.

I am **vastly opposed to Option 4** being implemented into Australia, a country where the people should be able to have the right to choose their preferred avenue of healthcare.

The TGA has a role to protect our safety in relation to medicines and treatment, not to restrict our access to safe medicines, as is the case with homoeopathy. The current stand is that the TGA and every drug regulating authority around the world considers homoeopathic remedies to be "low-risk" medicines. I see know reason for this position to be changed for the future.

I look forward to seeing the TGA listen to the Australian people and understand that we do know what medical treatment works best for us, by choosing Option 1 or 2 in the TGA Consultation process and **NOT OPTION 4.** 

Regards