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Australian Government

Department of Health

Therapeutic Goods Administration

Dear Sir/Madam

I am a [REDACTED] writing to you, since I have heard that homeopathy is at risk of being banned in Australia.

Homeopathy is the safest option of any medicine available. I support Option 1 and 2 in order to preserve homeopathic products as therapeutic goods in Australia and bring them into line with other medicines. To protect our rights and access to homeopathy, I strongly oppose Options 3 and 4. I love homeopathy and homeopathic medicines, as they are safe, mild, without side effects and cheap. They can be given also to infants, animals and plants. You cannot cheat an animal. An animal does not get better because of the homeopath's charisma. Homeopathy is also a good alternative to the persons, who are allergic to allopathic medicines. They would get serious problems, if you would decide to ban homeopathy. In U.S. medical errors claim 251,000 deaths every year.

Many famous people use homeopathy, for example Queen Elisabeth, who is now 91 years old and healthy. Prince Charles is a well-known supporter of homeopathy. Ten American presidents have used homeopathy and several popes. It has gained widespread acceptance in many countries. Homeopathy is getting increasingly popular in the world, among others in Europe, America, Asia and Africa. In India, 100 millions use only homeopathy to cure their diseases. About 500 million people in the world use homeopathic medicines.

Homeopathic medicines are environment friendly and cheap. Among others the Indian population, many out of whom are poor, love homeopathy.

Treatments have proven the effectiveness of these medicines. An increasing number of research studies and experts support the use of homeopathic medicines.

I like the safety and elegance of homeopathy and think Option 4 is completely unacceptable. It is the job of TGA to protect public safety, not to make value judgments or restrict access to these safe products. I speak on behalf of many people to say that I really hope that you will not decide to ban homeopathy in Australia!

Yours sincerely

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