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End to Drug Legalisation (Drug Crimes) Bill 2022

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General outline and financial impact

This bill reintroduces drug related offences previously repealed by the drug legalization (No More Drug Deaths or Crime) Bill 2021. Drugs pose a serious risk to public security and order, not just resultant from their effects upon consumption but also the process they are distributed under, often involving criminal groups or other such elements, many of which are global operations in nature. They are a threat to health and life of all people and the original bill legalizes has had no positive effect for there to be an argument for not discontinuing it.

Statement of Compatibility with Human Rights

Prepared in accordance with Part 3 of the *Human Rights (Parliamentary Scrutiny) Act 2011*

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This Bill is compatible with the human rights and freedoms recognised or declared in the international instruments listed in section 3 of the *Human Rights (Parliamentary Scrutiny) Act 2011*.

This Bill does not engage any of the applicable rights or freedoms.

Conclusion

This Bill is compatible with human rights as it does not limit any applicable human rights or freedoms.