

Queensland
Family & Child
Commission



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Community Safety and Legal Affairs Committee
Parliament House, George Street
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Via email [REDACTED]

Dear Select Committee,

Thank you for the opportunity to consider the Corrective Services (Promoting Safety) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024. The proposed amendments in the Bill expand on current protections for children and families in the community and the Queensland Family and Child Commission (QFCC) recognises the importance of these strategies in providing more comprehensive safeguards for children and families in the community.

The QFCC acknowledges the proposal to enable coordination between Police and Corrective Services to supervise individuals subject to a DPSOA Order, and recognises the intent to further protect children, young people, and families from high-harm and violent offending. The QFCC also notes the proposal to strengthen powers to respond to abuse of prisoner communication channels, understanding the immediate and long-term impacts of domestic and family violence on social and emotional wellbeing for children and families.

The QFCC expresses our support to the amendments in the Corrective Services (Promoting Safety) and Other Legislation Amendment Bill 2024. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me on [REDACTED] or via email at Principal.Commissioner@qfcc.qld.gov.au.

Yours sincerely

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