

JUSTICE COMMITTEE

HATE CRIME AND PUBLIC ORDER (SCOTLAND) BILL

SUBMISSION FROM DEAN DICKEY

If this bill were to be put into place it would greatly restrict basic human rights, the right to freedom of speech, the claims that the seminar "listened to the scottish public" in order to form this bill is false and the "scottish people" they decided to listen to were hand-picked, all with political agendas and yes men. "Stirring up hatred" is an incredibly vague term that the government WILL abuse and use to their advantage against the scottish people. No government should have this much control over what a person says, should not be able to jail a person for what the government "percieves" the victim meant when they said something, it is an obvious breach of human rights and absolutely fascistic authoritarian in nature. Scotland is no place for fascism. The scottish people are NOT for this and would absolutely urge it to not be put in place.

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