

JUSTICE COMMITTEE

HATE CRIME AND PUBLIC ORDER (SCOTLAND) BILL

SUBMISSION FROM PAUL WURR

In regards to the request for views on this bill and associated issues, I must urge its rejection in full! All "hate crime" is subjective, impossible to prove or otherwise so vast in its scale and ephemeral definitions as to render all crime eligible for such categorisation on the whims of any who seek to prosecute others, justly or not. No government can police the emotions or beliefs of its electors, to attempt otherwise is an exercise in tyranny and social engineering of the worst kind, itself a "hate crime" targeting every citizen, including the politically expedient and de rigueur "protected classes" who do not share such dogmatic adherence to an ideological fantasy version of criminality.

With reviews using hand-picked politically aligned groups, a willingness to kowtow to the loudest, shrillest voice of extremism and a weakness of character that demands to takes insult as injury, the current government has openly pushed an agenda of cultural manipulation and reconstruction not seen since the Anglicisation of our education systems in previous centuries. The hypocrisy of such a body in touting freedom and independence when it will keep them in power and then its opposite when it might do the same exposes the shallow, venal and malicious nature of the parcel of rogues behind such callow legislation.

The pernicious label of "hate crime" and all its attendant religious claptrap must be erased from our society, there are only crimes. We must punish cruel deeds, never unsavoury thoughts. Attempts to introduce any protected classes of citizenry fly in the face of all concepts of equality, demean those being forcibly categorised both within and without such groups, promote hierarchical injustice throughout a society and provide no benefit to anyone, except populist politicians seeking approval from vocal pressure-groups.

This government has failed its people, by attempting to punish dissent from their ideology via legislation and turning the Scottish into a herd too afraid to speak their minds for fear of accusations of heresy. This Bill and all others like it are needless when we have an equality act and criminal law, both of which together cover all permutations that these puerile political pandering's purport to protect.

As claimed on <https://beta.parliament.scot/bills/hate-crime-and-public-order-scotland-bill#target2>, this Bill aids in making the perceived or claimed motivation for any crime policeable if it falls under these vague umbrellas. Other powers have tried to sit above the Scottish people and tell us what to believe and punish us for doing otherwise, again the hypocrisy of the current Government is quite clear.

In summary, I call for the rejection of this bilious, blustering Bill. I call for the removal all so-called "hate crime" legislation and labelling from our laws and statutes. I want to see justice, equality and strength of character and spirit upheld in this country, and all this wretched rag and its attendant rantings do is drag us down towards the opposite.

Sincerely,
Paul Wurr.

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