

JUSTICE COMMITTEE

HATE CRIME AND PUBLIC ORDER (SCOTLAND) BILL

SUBMISSION FROM LEE HOLMES

Hi

I have come across this totally fascist bill and read through the description of what may possibly - but will not happen - be an amendment to some laws.

You have asked for input, which I fully believe shall be thrown aside and not looked at, especially if it's not in defence of it as I have no faith in governments and especially when they are coming up with tyrannical ideas such as this but yet I will do so.

I will keep it very brief with the key points simple.

- Hate speech laws should not be amended they should be destroyed and thrown away. Hate speech laws are against free speech which people SHOULD have. We apparently have free speech when politicians talk about it but with hate speech laws this is simply not the case. Abolishing and never bringing back hate speech laws would be FAR more productive and indeed introducing FREE SPEECH laws is very important, America is a shining example which should be looked up to in this regard.
- This bill is also sexist as it mentions misogyny but not misandry, thus this means that men (and boys) can be treated like dirt and looked down on and shouted at etc with no repercussions yet women cannot be told anything mean! what a terrible bill.
- The main crux of this bill is to stop any debate and opposing views that "the left" have and to stop any debate and opposing views towards a government that is tyrannical and assuming power over its citizens, indeed you are imposing such things as communism.
- I also believe to quite a point that this goes against human rights with the lack of ability to say what is on your mind and also have it assumed by courts what you WERE thinking. Law and order is already a joke and the very thought of bills like this makes it even more so.

The simple answer therefore is - burn this bill and forget it ever happened and abolish hate speech laws, introduce FREE SPEECH for citizens.

NO to this bill and NO to hate speech laws. Get rid of them.

Regards

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