

To whom it may concern,

I am writing to express my will as a Australian citizen under the Australian constitution. It is my will ask that you implement Option 1, or if not 1, then Option 2. I strongly oppose Options 3 and 4. I have read scientific research on homeopathy and find that your consideration of the materials available is incomplete. I find homeopathy of value and feel that it is my right to have access to it. The TGA's role is to protect public safety, not to make value judgements on faulty evidence. There are no scientific studies or case study where a patient has over dosed and died from any form of Homeopathy, you will however find countless overdoses from western medicine which is why these things require the types of classification you are advocating.

Homeopathic Medicine is a Traditional medicine used worldwide recognized by World Health Organisation. On that basis alone it should be recognized as a therapeutic option. Under no circumstances should Homeopathy be removed as a therapeutic option. The NHMRC report set a higher standard to Homeopathy than the TGA currently use to assess efficacy and will use in the future to assess efficacy and therefore should not have been mentioned in this consultation paper as it is misleading and not relevant. The UK government review cited in consultation paper was rejected by the UK Govt. and therefore should not have been mentioned to imply validity to its unaccepted conclusion. There was a Swiss Report on Homeopathy which stated "There is sufficient evidence for the preclinical effectiveness and the clinical efficacy of homeopathy and for its safety and economy compared with conventional treatment." – Yet this not included in the recommendations to give perspective and balance? I request an inquiry into the process in which this document has been created.

Given my understanding of the research, there is reason to believe that homeopathy is an effective and safe practice as well as one that should be considered because of its reasonable cost.

Yours sincerely,

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