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Modernisation of the Anti-Discrimination Act

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We would like to submit the following:

Regarding Question 2: Should the attribute of "Gender identity" be included in the Act?

We submit 'no'.

Regarding Question 4: Should vilification provisions be included in the Act?

Curtailing and legislating against extreme and pervasive vilification needs to happen but we believe that the terms 'offend' and 'insult' should not be included in the legislation.

Regarding Question 14: Should any exemptions for religious or cultural bodies be removed?

We submit 'no',

Regarding Question 20:

We submit 'no'. Language that includes these biological distinctives is important.

Regarding Question 21:

We submit 'no'. Parenthood should be upheld and the term 'carer' introduced as a separate notion.