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**Manager - Black Economy Division**

**Re: Currency (Restrictions on the Use of Cash) Bill 2019**

I strongly object to this bill.

This Bill places the “Australian” people aka, the working human beings of this nation, under the complete control of a privately-owned, cashless banking system. Our Government, the supposed champions of free enterprise and individual freedoms, namely the Australian Liberal Party, with this Bill, are forcing the Australian public into using a privately-owned banking system, severely limiting the withdrawal of cash, where a failure to comply with the cash withdrawal limits imposed on the Australian public will be punishable by a 2-year jail term. How dare they threaten us!

I/we know this move is linked to bank bail-in’s, and is nothing but THEFT and it is NOT ACCEPTABLE and has nothing to do with the ‘black economy’. The true guilty parties of the black economy are bankers, corporations and large accounting/insurance firms! Instead of taking away rights from the normal person, you should also look at the property and commercial sectors, including the unions, if you are interested in busting money laundering. The entire purpose of this Bill is to herd the Australian public into submitting to the Liberal Party’s draconian finance laws, by ultimately allowing banks to implement bail-ins and negative interest rates, whereas withdrawing our savings in cash from banks in order to find a safe haven, will become all but impossible.

This is NOT how to run a just and free society. The underhanded way in which this bill was put in place can only be described as sneaky, underhanded and illegal. Yes, we also know Morrison snuck a bail-in law through Parliament in February last year, the [*Financial Sector Legislation Amendment (Crisis Resolution Powers and Other Measures) Act 2018*](https://www.legislation.gov.au/Details/C2018A00010), with only a handful of MPs and Senators present when it passed and no recorded vote.

With this bill , the government is using the power of law to *force* us to use private companies. The State using its power for the benefit of private business interests is the very definition of Fascism.

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