Inquiry into the use of Cannabis in Victoria

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SURVEY QUESTIONS

Drag the statements below to reorder them. In order of priority, please rank the themes you believe are most important for this Inquiry into the use of Cannabis in Victoria to consider:

Accessing and using cannabis, Education, Young people and children, Public safety, Public health, Criminal activity, Mental health, Social impacts

What best describes your interest in our Inquiry? (select all that apply):

Individual

Are there any additional themes we should consider?

YOUR SUBMISSION

I believe that all Flora on this planet should be legal for personal usage as our right as inhabitants of said planet, regardless of their effects. By legalising plants deemed as "drugs" much more research may take place in understanding them, their benefits, and how the human body/mind works too. By introducing legal vendors of Cannabis into Victoria, and also allowing people to grow plants for their personal usage, I believe there would be no need for citizens to illegally deal large amounts, which would therefore reduce drug-deal related violence. In my opinion, Humans need to progress past the idea that by making things illegal out of fear of uncertainty will solve the problem, instead of directing their focus towards learning and becoming educated about the mentioned things. Teaching children about drugs for what they are objectively, and how they will effect your physical and mental state in short and long time frames, rather than how scary and dan-gerous they are, would allow younger members of society to grasp the concept of foreign substances and act accordingly, as compared to spontaneously using them out of pure curiosity/social pressure. We need to take steps forward in progressing our race so the benefits are bountiful and the hard times are reduced to a minimum, therefore by making possession of natural organic materials legal, i believe, would be aiming in the correct direction.

Do you have any additional comments or suggestions?:

Select all that apply.

Do you think there should there be restrictions on the use of cannabis?:

Personal use of cannabis should be legal. Sale of cannabis should be legal and regulated. Cultivation of cannabis for personal use should be legal.