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Dear Sir

I am voting for this Bill not to proceed. I pay everything that I can in cash. This IS NOT about the blackmarket or money laundering. The C/W bank got caught laundering and only got a slap on the wrist.

Due to testimony by Helen Edwards and her investigations into money laundering in Australia, it is quite obvious that govt officials and the associated regulatory bodies know it goes on, but do nothing about it.  [Interview with Helen Edwards: Australia is a money laundering washing machine! 30 July 2019](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=UiCILt343UY&feature=share)

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So why aren't they doing anything about the money laundering now? Because its all lies to why the govt wants this law.

Why can't people hold and pay for everything in cash when there is sufficient evidence that the banks (and govt) are not to be trusted? This law takes away our rights and freedom of choice. It will lead to a cashless society which will be disastrous.

We know the govt prints money and the banks create money out of thin air then loans it out for an interest rate. When the interest rates go negative, why would we want to hold our money in the bank, and those of us who are awake can see this is just the beginning of a cashless society so we can't do that.

Forcing people to only use banks will mean all our purchases will be known and no doubt our costs will increase due to the monopoly of the banks.

Our govt is one step away from being socialist, if not already there.

THE GOVT IS NOT GOVERNING IN THE INTERESTS OF THE PEOPLE OF AUSTRALIA.

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