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Subject: RE: Tasmania Police seeking feedback on the draft Community Protection (Offender Reporting) Amendment Bill.

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Dear Robert

Although the Children in Care Collective works towards improving the safety and wellbeing of all children and young people in out-of-home care, it is beyond our remit to provide feedback on this Bill. I will however forward your email with the links to individual member agencies who work in Tasmania to provide them with an opportunity to give feedback should they decide to do so.

Having said this, I am confident the Collective would endorse the proposed subsection (4A) protecting young offenders from unnecessary exposure to the criminal justice system through registration as a sex offender. There is too ready a cross over between out-of-home care and the criminal justice system.

All the best
 Lindy

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From: Redacted
Sent: Friday, January 12, 2024 10:56 AM
To: Redacted
Subject: Tasmania Police seeking feedback on the draft Community Protection (Offender Reporting) Amendment Bill.

Dear Lindy,

Tasmania Police is currently seeking feedback on the draft Community Protection (Offender Reporting) Amendment Bill. The consultation period ends on 16 February 2024.

The Bill is intended to amend the *Community Protection (offender Reporting) Act 2005* (the Act).

The Act was established to require convicted sex offenders to keep police informed of their whereabouts and provide personal details for a period of time to deter re-offending and help police investigate sexual crimes.

The aim of the amendments are to ensure that appropriate and adequate information is recorded by police and able to be disclosed for the purpose of monitoring offenders and protecting children and the community from the harms of sexual offending.

Your organisation has been identified as an important stakeholder in this area of legislative reform. As such, I seek your assistance and encourage you to review and provide feedback on the Bill.

The Bill together with further information and instructions on how to make a submission are available on the [Tasmania Police Website](#).

Thank you for your consideration and assistance with this important piece of work, which will further strengthen the safety and wellbeing of children across Tasmania.

Yours sincerely,

Robert Blackwood APM
Assistant Commissioner



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