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Dear Mr Storr,

Thanks for your telephone call regarding our position on the Bill of Rights.

As per our public comments on this issue, the Liberal position on this issue is as follows:

The Liberals do not support a Bill of Rights and agree with NSW Premier that such legislation may end up restricting rights, not enhancing them, transferring major policy issues from the legislature to the judiciary, thereby risking the politicisation of the judiciary and undermining its independence – something to avoid at all costs.

All Liberal policies, as announced, will be available on our website at www.taslib.net or by telephoning 1300 361 763.

Again, thank you for ringing.

Yours sincerely

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Leader of the Opposition