

Response ID ANON-6F3V-5K9Q-F

Submitted to Display of Flags and Emblems - Call for Evidence
Submitted on 2026-07-25 17:20:18

Clause 1: Removal of flags or emblems in the public interest

6 Do you agree with Clause 1 of the Bill?

Yes

7 Please provide information to support your answer here

Accessible:

I feel any type of flag should not be flown on public property, lampposts etc. Maybe on government buildings yes. It is intimidating and destroys the look of areas.

Clause 2: Sensitive places

8 Do you agree with Clause 2 of the Bill?

Yes

9 Please provide information to support your answer here

Accessible:

Flags of any sort should not be displayed in communal areas or buildings at all.

Clause 3: Procedure for / notification of, or giving views on, flags or emblems

10 Do you agree with Clause 3 of the Bill?

Yes

11 Please provide information to support your answer here

Accessible:

Yes I can see this as a good form of action but flags of any sort should still never be flown at all if we are to move forward/progress as a United nation.

Clause 4: Code of Practice

12 Do you agree with Clause 4 of the Bill?

Yes

13 Please provide information to support your answer here

Accessible:

Sounds like a fair process.

Clause 5: Offence of obstructing the Department in removal of flag or emblem

14 Do you agree with Clause 5 of the Bill?

Yes

15 Please provide information to support your answer here

Accessible:

Possibly a more severe penalty required.

Clause 6: Request for assistance from police

16 Do you agree with Clause 6 of the Bill?

Yes

17 Please provide information to support your answer here

Accessible:

The police should always assist in matters like this.

Clause 7: Interpretation

18 Do you agree with Clause 7 of the Bill?

Yes

19 Please provide information to support your answer here

Accessible:

Yes make clauses more accessible for the public understanding.

Clause 8: Commencement

20 Do you agree with Clause 8 of the Bill?

Yes

21 Please provide information to support your answer here

Accessible:

I agree although would prefer sooner, seems a long time.

Clause 9: Short title

22 Do you agree with Clause 9 of the Bill?

Yes

23 Please provide information to support your answer here

Accessible:

Yes I agree. The title of the bill is important.