



Rev Fred Nile Strongly Supports New Alcohol/Drug Laws to Save Lives

In his speech to the NSW Parliament on Tuesday 12 August 2014, Rev Nile stated:

Road Transport Amendment (Alcohol and Drug Testing) Bill 2014

Reverend the Hon FRED NILE [9.03 p.m.]: I am pleased to speak on behalf of the Christian Democratic Party in this debate on the Road Transport Amendment (Alcohol and Drug Testing) Bill 2014. I congratulate the Minister, the Hon Duncan Gay, on his perseverance in pursuing this legislation and bringing it to the House. It has our total support. The purpose of this bill is to improve road safety by updating elements of the alcohol- and drug-testing regime in the Road Transport Act 2013. These legislative changes will address emerging road safety issues, support best practice with new technology, assist with the prosecution of drink-and drug-drivers and further deter impaired driving. We support the slogan "Don't drink and drive". It is not both; it is one or the other. If you drink, don't drive. The Hon Dr Peter Phelps: Are you advocating drinking? Reverend the Hon FRED NILE: I am saying, "If you drink, don't drive." I am all in favour of people following my example and being a total abstainer. I am sure there is some support in the House for that. The Hon Lynda Voltz: No-one is putting up their hand. Reverend the Hon. FRED NILE: I will check on that later. Some members have already referred to the historic introduction of random breath testing. As members have heard, it was introduced into this House in 1982—the year after I was elected, in 1981. It was one of the first big battles in the upper House. Like others, I congratulate the late George Paciullo, former Labor Minister for Police and Emergency Services, who had the courage to bring in random breath testing—against tremendous opposition and with much criticism. The former Minister asked me a number of times to see him, and we had discussions about how to get random breath testing legislation through the upper

House. Obviously, the Government had the numbers in the Legislative Assembly, but it was touch and go in the upper House and there were various moves to try, first, to stop the introduction of random breath testing and then, if it could not be stopped, to make it unworkable by lifting the level from 0.05 to 0.08 or even higher—so that you could almost be drunk and drive legally. I am glad that those efforts to stop the introduction of random breath testing, or its watering down, failed. The late George Paciullo persevered with his objective to get that legislation through the Parliament. As members know, random breath testing has had a tremendously positive impact on reducing road accidents in New South Wales.

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Another fact about random breath testing is that in 2013 police conducted more than five million breath tests, resulting in more than 20,000 drivers being charged with drink-driving offences. Over time, there have been various improvements developed to ensure that random breath testing remained robust and effective, and this bill is another dramatic move forward, giving police the powers they need to protect the community from drivers influenced by alcohol or drugs. The bill will improve the ability of New South Wales police to obtain necessary evidence for the prosecution of impaired drivers. It will create a new power for police to facilitate the collection of blood samples from intoxicated drivers who are physically unable to submit to breath analysis in order to determine a blood alcohol concentration. The bill also will reinforce the power of police to direct drivers to remain at or near the place of testing until the random drug testing process is complete. The amendment also includes the creation of a specific penalty for drivers who fail to comply with the police direction to remain at or near the place of testing. If they try to move they will be committing another offence. The

bill also provides that, in addition to existing criteria, police may require a driver to submit to a sobriety assessment if the driver's behaviour, condition or appearance causes a police officer to form a reasonable belief that the driver is under the influence of a drug but a random breath test is negative for alcohol. The bill also will streamline the urine sampling process for drug testing to make the process simpler and less costly by removing the requirement to provide a test subject with a portion of their urine sample. The amendment does not remove a person's right to request the sample portion for independent analysis within 12 months. The bill also keeps up to date with advances in technology and modern laboratory processes. It will clarify the wording in evidence certificates tendered in court to accurately reflect the process in the laboratory. It will ensure that interstate evidence certificates are admissible in New South Wales courts if the sample taking, handling and analysing processes correspond substantially with New South Wales provisions. Finally, the bill will provide additional amendments to confirm that the certification by police officers who previously completed the training to conduct a breath analysis using an electronic signature is supported by legislation. The bill will amend the Marine Safety Act 1988 to bring alcohol and drug testing arrangements under this Act in line with the changes to the road transport law. As occurs with other legislation, in due course a package of regulatory changes will be submitted to coincide with the commencement of the amendments in this bill. I am pleased to support the bill. As I was speaking I was reminded of the number of times I have been stopped for random breath testing. I have to encourage the police to carry out the test. When I say, "It is Reverend Fred Nile", they are a little nervous about testing me. I say, "I guarantee that there will not be the slightest sign of alcohol in my blood. Go ahead and do your job." And they do their job and I am pleased that they do. I support the bill.

Rev Fred Nile Successfully Moves Unanimous Motion to Protect the Assyrian Christians in Iraq from the ISIL Brutal Death Squads

On Tuesday 12 August 2014, Rev Nile moved the following Motion which was passed unanimously by the NSW Upper House relating to bloody attacks and murders by the ISIL Islamic Terrorist movement of Assyrian Christians.

I move Private members' business item No 1927 outside the order of precedence, standing in my name relating to Assyrian Christian Communities.

ASSYRIAN CHRISTIAN COMMUNITIES

That this House:

(a) condemns Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant's [ISIL] assault on Mosul, Ramadi and other cities in northern and central Iraq;

(b) notes that the conflict has resulted in the displacement of hundreds of thousands of people thus becoming refugees in surrounding countries and provinces;

(c) further notes that all the Iraqi communities are affected by this turmoil particularly Assyrian Christian communities

of Nineveh Province;

(d) recognises the ongoing support of the Assyrian community in New South Wales for responding to the ongoing turmoil by providing support for the refugees;

(e) supports the Australian Government in its effort to provide humanitarian assistance and protection to the displaced families;

(f) reaffirms this House's call for the establishment of an Assyrian province in their ancestral homeland in northern Iraq; and

(g) recognises the ongoing efforts of the Assyrian Universal Alliance—Australia for its tireless efforts to bring the plight of Assyrians to the attention of the Australia Government, in particular Mr Hermiz Shahan, Deputy Secretary General, and Mr David David, President of the Assyrian Australian National Federation.

"Commemoration of the Assyrian Martyrs and Genocide Day"

On Sunday 10 August 2014 the Rev Fred Nile was warmly thanked for his efforts on behalf of the Assyrian Christians in Iraq by the large audience of 600 representatives at the Commemoration of the Assyrian Martyrs and Genocide Day at Edessa Reception Hall, St

Rev Fred Nile Calls for Changes to Bail Laws to Keep Dangerous Criminals in Prison

In his question to the NSW Parliament on Wednesday 18 June 2014, Mr Nile asked the following:

BAIL LAW REFORM

Reverend the Hon. FRED NILE: I address my question without notice to the Minister for Ageing, representing the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice. Is it a fact that there has been a great deal of controversy over the application of certain new sections of the Bail Act, especially in relation to the release on bail of wife murderer Steven Fesus and Hassan

"Sam" Ibrahim, who has threatened to "break the jaws" of New South Wales police officers? Will the Attorney General urgently review the new wording "change of circumstance", which applies a community risk test to determine whether they can be released and has enabled the courts to release these dangerous criminals on bail?

The Hon. JOHN AJAKA: I thank Reverend the Hon. Fred Nile for his detailed question, which I will refer to the Attorney General for a detailed answer.

REV FRED NILE CALLS FOR URGENT REVIEW OF NSW BAIL LAWS

In answer to my question on 18 June 2014: BAIL LAW REFORM

On 18 June 2014 Reverend the Hon. Fred Nile asked the Minister for Ageing, representing the Attorney General, and Minister for Justice, a question without notice regarding bail law reform. The Attorney General, and Minister for Justice, provided the following response:

I am advised:

The Government has established a Bail Act Monitoring Group which includes representatives from the Department of Justice,

the Ministry for Police and Emergency Services, the NSW Police Force, the Office of the Director of Public Prosecutions, Legal Aid New South Wales and the Bureau of Crime Statistics and Research. This group is monitoring the operation of the new Act and is to report back to the Government on any issues of concern.

The Government has also asked former Attorney General John Hatzistergos to review the Act and consider potential enhancements. The Government has asked Mr Hatzistergos to report back to the Government in time for the next sitting of Parliament.

YOUNG CHRISTIAN MEN IN SYDNEY OPPOSED ISIS BLOODY CAMPAIGN

Rev Nile attended their 3rd event on Thursday 4 September in Bossley Park. Several hundred people attended, and they had a very positive reception to Fred's speech. The Facebook post for the evening has reached over 21,000 people in the last 12 hours, and resulted in

100 new people following Rev Fred Nile on Facebook.

"I was pleased to be invited to speak at this enthusiastic meeting of young Christian men, who are very angry at the murderous attacks on Christian families in Iraq by the terrorist

movement of the Islamic State (ISIL)"

"Christians of the world have to be mobilized to oppose the murderous bloody ISIL as we protect our democratic freedom, freedom of religion and freedom of speech" said Rev Fred Nile.



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Rev Fred Nile Supports Warning Medical-Marijuana – Wolf in Sheep’s Clothing

MEDICAL-MARIJUANA AMENDMENT: WOLF IN SHEEP’S CLOTHING

By GRADY JUDD Published: Friday, 20 June 2014 at 12:03 a.m.

Amendment 2 pretends to help people with serious illnesses. In fact, because of the way it has been written by marijuana advocates, Amendment 2 will result in widespread pot smoking in Florida, with few of those smoking it having truly debilitating or serious illnesses. This isn’t a blind prediction. We know this because of experiences in other states.

An Orlando TV news anchor flew out to California to see how easy it would be to get “medical” marijuana. He discovered he only had to tell the doctor he had problems sleeping to get a prescription. To make it easy for patients, there was a sign in the waiting room telling customers what conditions would qualify to get legal marijuana. The anchor saw teens and young adults with no visible signs of illness easily getting a “license to smoke pot.” The average medical-marijuana card holder in California is a 32-year-old male. In Colorado, only about 6 percent of the people with medical-marijuana cards had debilitating illnesses. Most of the rest cited “pain” or “other conditions.”

If Amendment 2 passes in Florida, we will see the same problems. An entirely new pill-mill style disaster will emerge in Florida, with unethical doctors lining up to give “recommendations” to people with “pain” to smoke pot (for a fee of course), just like pill-mill doctors signed pain-pill prescriptions for profit. The Florida Department of

Health predicts there will be 1,800 pot dispensaries in our neighborhoods and hundreds of thousands of users.

MEDICAL EXPERTS

I’m not a doctor, I’m a cop. Ask me about all things crime-related and I can give you an educated and experience-based answer. For medical questions, I go to the medical experts. Legitimate doctors, the Florida and American medical associations, and disease-based medical groups such as the American Cancer Society and many others all say smoked marijuana is not legitimate medicine.

But there’s an entire pro-pot movement, including those seeking to make huge profits off the sale of marijuana, who are trying to tell you Amendment 2 is about compassion. These people are shamelessly using the very sick to push their agenda. Doctors are not leading this campaign. A personal-injury trial lawyer and the pro-recreational-marijuana crowd are leading the campaign.

There are many other problems with the amendment and its marijuana-legalization language. There are virtually no restrictions on who can become a marijuana “caregiver” — allowing addicts, drug dealers and convicted felons to become caregivers. There is no minimum-age limit — children would be able to get medical marijuana. A patient needs only a physician’s recommendation to buy marijuana at storefront dispensaries.

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And, in one of the few tightly worded parts of the amendment, language grants sweeping criminal- and civil-liability immunity to medical-pot smokers, doctors,

caregivers, and treatment centers and their employees. So, if some quack doctor gives a recommendation for pot to your teenager, too bad. If a grower or dispensary sells pot laden with pesticides or chemicals, and someone dies, too bad. If a kid buys and eats high-THC pot brownies and jumps off a hotel balcony to his death (which recently happened), sorry for your luck.

The pro-marijuana lobby, seeing that the truth is coming out about Amendment 2 and its poll numbers are collapsing, have shifted to a new argument. They now say, “Don’t worry, we will pass laws and regulations to fix all the problems in Amendment 2.” Right: Pass Amendment 2 first, then we will fix it. Would you buy a used car with obvious problems on the promise that somebody will fix it after you buy it? Of course not. The pro-amendment people are telling us that the negative consequences of the amendment don’t matter. “Trust us,” they say, “the politicians and bureaucrats will fix the problems. I think people in Florida are smarter than that.

I predict that, if Amendment 2 passes, we will pay more in taxes to pay for all the unintended consequences, such as more marijuana-related car crashes, emergency room visits and drug-addicted users.

I’ve educated myself about the negative consequences of Amendment 2, and I’m voting no. Ultimately, though, how you vote is up to you. I sincerely ask that you take the time to read the actual amendment, learn about the issues and vote your conscience.

Grady Judd is sheriff of Polk County.

<http://www.theledger.com/article/20140620/EDIT01/140629996/1036?p=1&tc=pg>

REV FRED NILE EXPRESSED HIS CONCERN OVER SCHOOLS NOT FLYING THE NATIONAL FLAG

Rev Fred Nile expressed his concern to the Minister for Education Hon Adrian Piccoli over schools not flying the National Flag. He also called on the Premier to make a regulation that all NSW schools will fly the Australian National flag

The Rev Hon Fred Nile, leader of the Christian Democratic Party questions Minister for Education Hon Adrian Piccoli at the 2014 Estimates (GPSC2) Committee hearing on 19 August 2014.

Reverend the Hon. FRED NILE: Is there a policy regarding the raising of the Australian national flag at State schools at the beginning of the day? Is there a policy to have a flag or to not have a flag?

Dr BRUNIGES: Again, all schools would have flagpoles and there is no policy that says you have to fly the flag. But many schools that I visit indeed do. They fly the Aboriginal and Torres Strait Islander flag as well. There are often two flagpoles in the schools that I visit. But there is no explicit policy on flying the flag.

Reverend the Hon. FRED NILE: Do you think there should be a policy, in view of some of the current controversy about flying Australian flags?

Dr BRUNIGES: I think in a hearing like this it is not up to me to give an opinion on anything. It should be just straight facts.

Mr ADRIAN PICCOLI: As a general policy position we would not go into the

micromanaging of the schools and require them absolutely to fly the Australian flag every day. But if somebody were to fly an inappropriate flag the department would certainly have something to say about it. I think most schools do, as a general rule, but we try and avoid policy from a government perspective micromanaging what schools do. Kids usually love going out the front and hoisting the Australian flag, the New South Wales flag or the Aboriginal flag.

CHAIR(Rev FRED NILE) Looking at the other side of that coin, do you have any plans to encourage government agencies and schools to fly the Australian flag? Apparently schools are not required to fly the flag and

some do not.

Mr MIKE BAIRD: Really?

CHAIR: (Rev FRED NILE) Yes.

Mr MIKE BAIRD: I was not aware of that.

CHAIR: (Rev FRED NILE) I was disappointed when the Minister for Education indicated that schools are not required to fly the national flag. I think government agencies, and particularly schools, should be required to fly the flag.

Mr MIKE BAIRD: I will take that question on notice. I was not aware of that. It seems sensible to require schools to fly our national flag proudly. I like the idea, but I am not sure we would get bipartisan support.

Calling Euthanasia by Its Real Name

“The euthanasia death last April of Perth man Nigel Brayley (45) was not ‘good’, as the root meaning of the euphemism ‘euthanasia’ implies,” FamilyVoice research officer Ros Phillips said today. “Nor was the death of young Joe Waterman (25) on the Mornington Peninsula in January.

“These were quite simply the sordid suicides of people who were physically healthy, but suffering mental pain.

“Dr Philip Nitschke, often known as ‘Dr Death’, directly provided the drug that killed Nigel Brayley. He also provided the information that led to the killing of Joe Waterman. Dr Nitschke knew that Nigel Brayley was not terminally ill and intended to kill himself, but failed to offer any help or advice to alleviate his mental suffering. In the case of Joe Waterman, Dr Nitschke’s

website sold a book on how to kill yourself, without any reliable protection against abuse by depressed young people.

“How long must we wait for Dr Nitschke to be called to account in a court of law?” Ros Phillips asked.

“And how long must we endure attempts by advocates such as Greens Senator Richard Di Natale to legalise, legitimise and normalise suicide by calling it ‘euthanasia’?”

Ros Phillips said Dr Nitschke’s actions have revealed what would happen on a much larger scale if assisted killing ever became legal.

“I hope that the Senate inquiry into Senator Di Natale’s proposed bill will look at the big picture – the undermining of morale for both young and old – if this bill were to pass the federal parliament,” she said.

Rev Fred Nile Urges Action to Remove ISIL Terrorist Flags in Sydney

In his question to the NSW Parliament on Wednesday 13 August 2014, Mr Nile asked the following:

COUNTER TERRORISM MEASURES

Reverend the Hon FRED NILE: My question without notice is directed to the Minister for Roads and Freight, representing the Premier. Is the Government aware that black Islamic State of Iraq and the Levant [ISIL] flags are being flown in Lakemba, Bankstown and Punchbowl outside Muslim shops and possibly in other Sydney suburbs? Is the Government also aware that these flags of a

prohibited terrorist organisation incite racial hatred and increase tensions in Sydney? What action is the Government and particularly the NSW Police Force taking to ensure that these actions do not add to already tense times and provoke violence?

The Hon DUNCAN GAY: I am totally unaware of the concerns the member has raised. If they are correct, and I have no reason to disagree with the member, it is a matter for my colleague the Minister for Police and Emergency Services. I will pass the question on for his urgent attention.



Rev Fred Nile Strongly Supports Anti-Corruption Legislation to Control Lobbyists

In his speech to the NSW Parliament on Wednesday 18 June 2014, Rev Nile stated:

ELECTORAL AND LOBBYING LEGISLATION AMENDMENT (ELECTORAL COMMISSION) BILL 2014

Reverend the Hon. FRED NILE [4.01 p.m.]: On behalf of the Christian Democratic Party I support the Electoral and Lobbying Legislation Amendment (Electoral Commission) Bill 2014. The origin of this bill has to do with a number of recent recommendations made by the Independent Commission Against Corruption [ICAC] and the Joint Standing Committee on Electoral Matters. They recommended that a new commission be established combining the functions of the current Electoral Commission NSW and the Election Funding Authority. This bill forms part of the package of reforms announced by the Premier on Tuesday 13 May 2014 to increase transparency and enhance the regulation of lobbying.

The Electoral and Lobbying Legislation Amendment (Electoral Commission) Bill 2014 will enhance the regulation of election funding and lobbying in New South Wales in a number of ways. For example, it will reconstitute the Electoral Commission. It will amend the Lobbying of Government Officials Act 2011 to strengthen the regulation of third party and other lobbyists and to confer functions in relation to the regulation of lobbyists on the reconstituted Electoral Commission. The main practical aspects arising from this legislation are amendments

to the Parliamentary Electorates and Elections Act 1912, the Election Funding, Expenditure and Disclosures Act 1981, and the Lobbying of Government Officials Act 2011. The amendments will abolish the Election Funding Authority and create a new Electoral Commission constituted by an Electoral Commissioner and two independent members.

The bill will confer upon the newly reconstituted Electoral Commission the Election Funding Authority's existing functions, a research and public awareness function, and a function of providing assistance for the conduct of elections by the Electoral Commissioner. The bill will provide the new commission with a clear mandate to bring proceedings for breaches of electoral laws, as well as the same electoral investigative functions that the Electoral Funding Authority currently has under the Election Funding, Expenditure and Disclosures Act 1981. The bill also inserts policy objects into that Act. The bill will provide a legislative basis for the Register of Third-Party Lobbyists and the Lobbyists Code of Conduct. The new code will impose ethical conduct requirements on all third party lobbyists and other individuals and organisations that lobby government.

In discussing lobbyists, it is vital that lobbyists and individuals who have set up lobbying companies should not have roles within political party structures, particularly on the executives that direct the activities of those parties. It is incompatible to have a powerful lobbyist inside the party structure. All parties where that is occurring should take

action to have those persons removed from those positions. If those individuals are at the heart of government it makes a mockery of this legislation to control third party lobbyists. The legislative basis for the register of third party lobbyists and the Lobbyists Code of Conduct is very important. The bill will transfer responsibility for maintaining the register and enforcing compliance with the code from the Department of Premier and Cabinet to the independent Electoral Commission.

Finally, the bill will establish a Lobbyists Watch List. This will be a public document with the names of lobbyists who have contravened the Lobbyists Code of Conduct or the Lobbying of Government Officials Act. These are positive moves in this bill to ensure that lobbyists do not abuse the legislative requirements. Removing the enforcement of compliance with the code from the Department of Premier and Cabinet also helps to improve transparency. If the code is to be implemented by the Department of Premier and Cabinet and there are issues affecting the party of which the Premier and the Cabinet are members then it could be compromised. Having the code implemented by an independent Electoral Commission will hopefully ensure total transparency and integrity. This is a very practical bill, which we support. One issue we considered was the constitution of the new Electoral Commission. The bill says that the third member should be someone with auditing qualifications and so on. The bill states at new section 21B, Members

of Electoral Commission, that the third member should be:

(c) a person appointed by the Governor who has financial or audit skills and qualifications relevant to the functions of the Commission.

Looking at that job description, it seems logical that it could be the Auditor-General and we were considering supporting the Opposition amendment to that effect. However, further advice suggests that this could create a conflict of interest for the Auditor-General. He must maintain his independence so that, if necessary, he can investigate the Electoral Commission. If he was a member of the Electoral Commission he could not investigate it. The other possible solution was to have the Auditor-General appoint or nominate someone to represent him. But I understand that that could also be interpreted as a conflict of interest.

This means that great care must be taken by the Government in the nominations that it brings forward for the members of Electoral Commission, particularly in regard to the appointment of a former judge. Hopefully, given we are talking about a former judge, there will be no question of corruption. The other members of the Electoral Commission will be the Electoral Commissioner and the person with financial or audit skills. I urge the Government to hasten slowly in appointing those people—in other words, to appoint people without any question marks over their integrity or their role in carrying out this very important work regarding elections in this State.

Counterterrorism

Reverend the Hon. FRED NILE: I direct my question to the Minister for Ageing, and Minister for Disability Services, representing the Minister for Police and Emergency Services. Is the Government aware that there are Australians fighting in Syria and that they now occupy senior leadership positions with Al Qaeda-linked Islamic groups? Is the Government also aware that the Federal Attorney-General, George Brandis, confirmed in his recent statement, "There is a small number of Australians occupying reasonably senior positions in various of the anti-regime forces", and again repeated the Government's "serious concern" that Australians might return further radicalised and armed with training, experience and terrorist trade craft? Is the Government aware it is understood that 33 passports have been cancelled on security grounds in the eight months since July 2013? Will the Minister inform the House of the security measures in place to address this serious concern and ensure that New South Wales' safety against any suspected terrorist individuals or organisations involved in Syria and returning to Australia?

The Hon. JOHN AJAKA: I thank Reverend the Hon. Fred Nile for his question. I am certain that the Minister, like all members of this House, is always concerned about any possible terrorism acts within the State of New South Wales. This Government takes that very seriously. As the question is very detailed, I will refer it to the relevant Minister, obtain an answer and report back to the House.

Rev Fred Nile Calls for Action to Eliminate Female Genital Mutilation

In his question to the NSW Parliament on Tuesday 18 March 2014, Mr Nile asked the following:

NATIONAL SUMMIT ON FEMALE GENITAL MUTILATION

Reverend the Hon. FRED NILE: I wish to ask the Hon. Michael Gallacher, representing the Minister for Health, a question without notice. Is the Government aware that last year's National Summit on Female Genital Mutilation agreed to work together and cooperatively to ensure that female genital mutilation is abandoned as a practice by all Australian residents and that women and girls affected by or at risk of female genital mutilation have access to services and support?

Is the Government aware that Australia recognises that the practice of female genital mutilation is a violation of the human rights of girls and women? Does the Government agree that female genital mutilation can have significant health implications, including death and long-term and life-threatening complications, and is therefore legally and ethically unacceptable in our society? Can the Minister report on what advances New South Wales has made in addressing female genital mutilation in our community?

The Hon. MICHAEL GALLACHER: As the member has requested, I will refer the question to the Minister for Health for a response.

REV FRED NILE CONDEMNS AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL

The Rev Fred Nile has condemned the proposed new policy of Amnesty International that would legalise prostitution.

"I fully support this statement by the former President of the United States, Jimmy Carter, which strongly criticises Amnesty International's new prostitution policy:

"It's inconceivable to me that Amnesty International or any

other organization that respects human rights would endorse slave masters who buy young girls and put them into involuntary servitude to be sex slaves".

"It is amazing that Amnesty International would move in this direction while 300 girls are being threatened with sex slavery in Nigeria" said Rev Fred Nile, Leader of the Christian Democratic Party.

REV FRED NILE CALLS FOR STRONG DRUG LAWS IN NIMBIN NSW

In his question to the NSW Parliament on Tuesday 6 May 2014, Mr Nile asked the following:

NIMBIN HEMP EMBASSY

Reverend the Hon. FRED NILE: I direct a question to the Hon. Duncan Gay representing the Minister for Police. Will the Minister inform the House whether the Government is aware that the Nimbin Hemp Embassy openly displays techniques for using cannabis and sells utensils connected with drug use; that food containing cannabis and hashish is sold openly in Nimbin; and for several decades people

have been accosted walking down the street in Nimbin by dealers wishing to market all manner of illegal drugs? What is the legal basis for these activities in Nimbin? Are they exempt from New South Wales law?

The Hon. JOHN AJAKA: Today I will represent the acting Minister for Police and Emergency Services the Hon. Brad Hazzard. I will refer the question to the relevant Minister and provide a reply.



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Citizens' Legislation Action

Rev Hon Fred Nile and the Hon Paul Green are seeking the Lord's guidance and your support in dealing with the challenges and opportunities facing NSW.

CRIMES AMENDMENT (ZOE'S LAW) BILL 2013 (NO. 2)

On Thursday 29 August 2013 Chris Spence MP introduced Crimes Amendment (Zoe's Law) Bill 2013 (No. 2) into the lower house with changes to Rev Nile's original Bill. We thank God that this historic Bill was passed by the NSW Legislative Assembly by an overwhelming vote of 63 to 26, which was remarkable.

We expected the Zoe's Bill to be debated and passed by the NSW Legislative Council during May but we have encountered fierce opposition by the pro-abortion feminists comprising the "Sisterhood".

However, the Zoe's Bill has clear exemptions for any medical procedure including abortion. The Zoe's Bill also requires the mother to agree to any legal action. Normally no woman would sue the doctor who performed her abortion so it does not affect abortions.

We have received letters and emails of support from

concerned citizens, the Most Reverend Anthony Fisher - Bishop of Parramatta, the Most Revd Geoffrey H Jarrett - Bishop of Lismore, NSW Council of Churches, Ministers, Pastors, Australia Christian Lobby, FamilyVoice, Lawyers and QC's.

ACTION: Write to Members of the Upper House to support this important Bill (visit <https://www.parliament.nsw.gov.au/prod/parlament/members.nsf/V3ListCurrentLCMembers> for Members' details.

CDP BILLS

The following is a sample of some of the legislation CDP plan to introduce in the 55th Parliament of the New South Wales Legislative Council:

1. Alcoholic Beverages Advertising Prohibition Bill
2. Liquor Amendment (Drinking Age) Bill
3. Liquor Amendment (Health Warning for Pregnant Women) Bill
4. Gambling Advertising Prohibition Bill
5. Drug and Alcohol Treatment Amendment (Rehabilitation of Persons with Severe Substance Dependence) Bill
6. State Senate Bill

7. Sex Services Advertising Prohibition Bill
8. Family Impact Commission Bill
9. Summary Offences Amendment (Full-face Coverings Prohibition) Bill
10. Adoption Amendment (Same Sex Couples Repeal) Bill
11. Crimes Amendment (Soliciting Sex for Payment) Bill
12. Crimes Amendment (Incitement or Promotion of Terrorism and Violence) Bill
13. Child Protection (Nicole's Law) Bill
14. Classification (Publications, Films and Computer Games) Enforcement Amendment (Banning Restricted X Rated Films) Bill
15. Pregnancy Termination (Mandatory Counselling) Bill
16. Crimes Amendment (Pre-natal Termination) Bill
17. Crimes Amendment (Zoe's Law) Bill
18. Drug Misuse and Trafficking Amendment (Injecting Centre Repeal) Bill
19. Constitution Amendment (Restoration of Oaths of Allegiance) Bill
20. St Shenouda Coptic Orthodox Monastery (NSW) Property Trust Bill - passed 2014
21. Crimes Amendment (Provocation) Bill 2014 - passed 2014

FRED NILE'S PARLIAMENTARY UPDATE



Media Releases:

- Rev Fred Nile Supports New Advocate Office for Children and Young People
- Rev Fred Nile calls for changes to bail laws to keep dangerous criminals in prison
- Rev Fred Nile strongly supports anti-corruption legislation to control lobbyists
- Rev Fred Nile supports abolition of "Dead Wood" authorities
- Rev Fred Nile calls for urgent action to protect Christian Assyrians in Iraq and Syria
- Rev Fred Nile calls for urgent action against Muslim terrorists.
- Rev Fred Nile introduces historical Coptic Monastery Bill
- Rev Fred Nile questions the misuse of Government Grants by Islamic College
- Rev Fred Nile demands action to protect children from sexual abuse
- Rev Fred Nile opposes the spread of brothels in Sydney
- Rev Fred Nile calls for NSW police crackdown on Nimbin drug trade
- Rev Fred Nile supports warning medical-marijuana - wolf in sheep's clothing
- Rev Fred Nile calls for support for Assyrian Christians in Iraq Christian Rally in Martin Place to demand the release of Nigerian Girls and to warn Australia of Militant Islam's agenda.
- Rev Fred Nile Inspects largest Christian Church in China
- Rev Fred Nile calls for protection from ISIL members and supporters in NSW
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- Rev Fred Nile supports strong Counter-terrorism measures
- Rev Fred Nile calls for urgent review of NSW Bail Laws
- Rev Fred Nile calls for supervision of Suresh Nair to protect the community
- Rev Fred Nile supports automatic mutual recognition of occupation licences
- Rev Fred Nile opposes the addition of religious vilification in the NSW Anti-Discrimination Act
- Rev Fred Nile successfully moves unanimously Motion to protect the Assyrian Christian in Iraq from the ISIL brutal death squads
- Rev Fred Nile strongly supports New Alcohol/Drug Laws to save lives
- Rev Fred Nile urges action to remove ISIL terrorist flags in Sydney
- Rev Fred Nile strongly supports Mandatory Alcohol Interlock Program
- Rev Fred Nile calls for urgent action to protect citizens

- of Armenia and Nagorno-Karabakh from Azerbaijani aggression
- Rev Fred Nile's Bill the St Shenouda Coptic Orthodox Monastery (NSW) Property Trust Bill 2014 successfully passed today in the NSW Upper House
- Rev Fred Nile urges NSW Government to reduce harmful gambling
- Rev Fred Nile tables the Select Committee Report on the Impact of Gambling

Questions Without Notice:

- Rev Fred Nile calls for strong drug laws in Nimbin NSW
- Rev Fred Nile calls for action to prevent brothels in residential complexes
- Rev Fred Nile calls for action against increasing child sexual abuse attacks
- Rev Fred Nile calls for detailed school accountability of tax payers' funds
- Rev Fred Nile calls for action against terrorist suspects returning from Syria.
- Rev Fred Nile raises concern about the disability carers welfare
- Rev Fred Nile calls on Attorney-General to review Suresh Nair's release from prison in July 2014
- Fred Nile calls for changes to bail laws to keep dangerous criminals in prison
- Rev Fred Nile calls for protection from ISIL members and supporters in NSW
- Rev Fred Nile urges action to remove ISIL terrorist flags in Sydney
- Rev Fred Nile urges NSW Government to reduce harmful gambling

Speeches:

- Rev Fred Nile strongly supports the Crimes Amendment (Strangulation) Bill 2014 to help protect battered women
- Rev Fred Nile praises Captain Arthur Philip and Lieutenant Matthew Flinders
- Rev Fred Nile expresses concern over Green Senator Lee Rhiannon's gilt edged membership of the Communist Marxist Movement
- Rev Fred Nile Supports New Advocate Office for Children and Young People
- Rev Fred Nile strongly supports anti-corruption legislation to control lobbyists
- Rev Fred Nile supports abolition of "Dead Wood" authorities
- Rev Fred Nile calls for urgent action to protect Christian Assyrians in Iraq and Syria
- Rev Fred Nile introduces historical Coptic Monastery Bill

- Rev Fred Nile calls for support for Assyrian Christians in Iraq
- Rev Fred Nile calls for urgent action to protect Christian in Iraq
- Rev Fred Nile opposes the addition of religious vilification in the NSW Anti-Discrimination Act
- Rev Fred Nile supports automatic mutual recognition of occupation licences
- Rev Fred Nile successfully moves unanimously Motion to protect the Assyrian Christian in Iraq from the ISIL brutal death squads
- Rev Fred Nile strongly supports New Alcohol/Drug Laws to save lives
- Rev Fred Nile strongly supports Mandatory Alcohol Interlock Program
- Rev Fred Nile calls for urgent action to protect citizens of Armenia and Nagorno-Karabakh from Azerbaijani aggression
- Rev Fred Nile's Bill the St Shenouda Coptic Orthodox Monastery (NSW) Property Trust Bill 2014 successfully passed today in the NSW Upper House
- Rev Fred Nile tables the Select Committee Report on the Impact of Gambling

[Note: All Questions and Speeches are accessible and downloadable from Hansard www.parliament.nsw.gov.au]

2013 Committees:

- General Purpose Standing Committee No 1 - Chairman Fred Nile
- Privileges and Ethics Committee - Fred Nile
- Procedure Committee - Fred Nile
- ICAC Committee - Fred Nile
- Bullying Inquiry - Chairman Fred Nile
- Gambling Inquiry - Chairman Fred Nile
- Child Sexual Offences Committee - Fred Nile
- Staysafe (Road Safety Committee) - Fred Nile
- Standing Committee on State Development - Paul Green
- General Purpose Standing Committee No 2 - Paul Green
- General Purpose Standing Committee No 3 - Paul Green
- Committee on the Health Care Complaints Commission - Paul Green
- Member, Select Committee on social, public and affordable housing - Chairman Paul Green
- Member, Select Committee on home schooling - Chairman Paul Green