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Dear Mr. Brennan,

Thank you for contacting the Australian Workers Party.

Thank you also for raising the issues relating to the current situation around vehicle standards legislation around the country. It is obvious that the existing disparate laws across states lends itself to inconsistencies and confusion. We applaud and support your efforts to work towards a more consistent and common sense set of national laws.

The Australian Workers Party supports any efforts to:

- Amend the federal Road "Vehicle Standards Act 2018" (replaces the Motor Vehicle Standards Act 1989) to allow "Mutual Recognition" of all individual state engineering, approved certifiers and certification schemes, to be recognised and accepted by all state registration authorities;
- Establish a National Vehicle Modification and Certification Program for in-service registered passenger vehicles as recommended, to be implemented federally and in parallel with ADRs; and
- Ensure industry and community engagement is a key basis for the Vehicle Modification Framework.

Furthermore, we would be more than happy to raise this matter with our membership in the upcoming Federal election and to inform our members of our position in support of your campaign.

We wish you luck in your efforts and we hope that common sense will prevail.

Yours respectfully,

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