

## Secular Party of Australia



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Dear Miles

The Secular Party of Australia is committed to rational public policy, including the separation of “church and state”, and to freedom of and from religion.

As part of our commitment to rational and evidence based policies, the Secular Party acknowledges there are many issues associated with disparate legislation across states, including in relation to motor vehicle standards. With regard to the upcoming federal election in 2019, we make a commitment 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.

We wish Four Wheel Drive Queensland all the best with this campaign.

Yours sincerely

John Perkins

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