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## Committee Members.

You will further erode hard-earned tax-payers' \$\$\$ plus the remaining shreds of individual freedom with your planned efforts to justify extending our 'nanny state laws.'

You must be aware of the common-sense factors at odds with every aspect of these issues. Accordingly, I'll not burden you with a rehash. For after all, my views are merely those of the the average voter.

I register my protest against every issue you plan to investigate. Despite the state of current politics I am an optimist. So, I hope that protests such as mine just might spark a collective moment of sanity.

Possibly not. For they do say,

"A camel is a horse designed by a committee."

Surely the phenomenal rise of your worst night-mare, i.e. the dreaded "popularists" suggests that nanny politicians maybe, just maybe, a tad out of step with the wishes of the average grown-up voter.

By the way, that's me. It is also my enormous, disturbingly vocal, extended family of e-cigarette lovers, pool-fence haters, and helmet-begrudging, \*swinging\* voters.

Every one of us begs you to engage the rational parts of your brain. Think ever so slowly and carefully on this.

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