

### **Email response to party questionnaire received from candidate**

David's commitment to the people of the ACT is to take each piece of legislation on its merits and to consult with the community and with experts before forming a view.

Over this term of parliament he has asked us to consult with Equality Australia on each piece of legislation and on each motion in the Senate that would impact LGBTQI+ Australians – and we have been very grateful for that advice.

He has voted consistently against each Bill and each motion in the Senate that had the potential to harm the LGBTQI+ community.

He spoke publicly, alongside other crossbenchers, when the Government decided to not count parts of the LGBTQI+ community in the Census.

He continues to meet with LGBTQI+ Canberrans and advocacy groups about their priorities and concerns, and he has a long public history standing up against discrimination and homophobia.

Further details of policy position: [https://www.davidpocock.com.au/equality\\_safety\\_2025](https://www.davidpocock.com.au/equality_safety_2025)