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Subject: My comments on the 家暴條例

Dear sir/ madam,

I would like to express my opinions on the 家暴條例. Having read the related local news, I know what is going on. I TOTALLY DISagree that we use this ordinance to protect the homonsexual people coz' the Chinese words "家庭" appear in the name of the ordinance. Also, the original objective of the ordinance is to keep any violence away from a husband and a wife and their children or a male and a female in a marriage-like relationship. If you put homonsexual people under the protection of the ordinance, teenagers might be confused about the definition of 家庭. So, I suggest setting up a new ordinance and giving it a new name 居所暴力條例. I'm sure there are a few advantages:

1. People will not be confused about the definition of 家庭
2. Chinese people, esp. the elderly and the ones with traditional family concepts, will feel more comfortable
3. Everyone living together, no matter what kinds of relationship they have, can be protected by the new ordinance
4. Parents and teachers can teach and nurture kids and teenagers about moral values more easily

I hope my opinion will be adopted.

Again, DON'T put homosexual people under the target of the 家庭暴力條例 coz' there will be many confusing concepts, misunderstanding, social chaos and even declining moral values.

Thanks.

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