

Dear Lego members,

I am a teacher of a secondary school and I am very disappointed of the proposed expansion of on the law on family violence. A law should focus on protecting those living in the same household rather than using the term 'family' as this has a very specific meaning in Hong Kong. To us, the definition of family includes husband and wife (man and woman) and having two people of the same sex living together does not constitute a family. Thus, I object of putting the protection of same sex couple under the family violence law as this would mean an acceptance of same sex marriage. I support the protection of anyone against violence but it should not be put under 'family', instead another more appropriate name should be used.

本人 反對 政府將同性同居者納入《家庭暴力條例》立場書。

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