

AUSTRALIAN LAW LINKS REFERRED TO IN THE LETTER

Australian Human Rights Framework- including right to protest

<https://www.humanrights.vic.gov.au/legal-and-policy/australias-human-rights-framework/>

<https://www.ag.gov.au/rights-and-protections/human-rights-and-anti-discrimination/human-rights-scrutiny/public-sector-guidance-sheets/right-freedom-assembly-and-association>

The Victorian Charter of Human Rights

<https://www.legislation.vic.gov.au/in-force/acts/charter-human-rights-and-responsibilities-act-2006/014>

The Universal Charter of Human Rights

<https://www.un.org/en/universal-declaration-human-rights/>

The Bill of Rights 1688

http://classic.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/act/consol_act/bor16881wams2c2306/

Australian Constitution

https://www.aph.gov.au/about_parliament/senate/powers_practice_n_procedures/constitution

(original UK Act):

Commonwealth Criminal Code 1995

http://www8.austlii.edu.au/cgi-bin/viewdoc/au/legis/cth/consol_act/cca1995115/sch1.html

Crimes Act sec 458 rights to arrest

http://www5.austlii.edu.au/au/legis/vic/consol_act/ca195882/s458.html

Justice John Latham, High Court of Australia HCA 1942 (65 CLR 373 at page 408)

“ A pretended law made in excess of power is not and never has been a law at all. Anybody in the country is entitled to disregard it. Naturally he will feel safer if he has a decision of a court in his favour-but such a decision is not an element which produces invalidity in any law. The law is not valid until a court pronounces against it-and thereafter invalid. If it is beyond power it is invalid ab initio.”

<http://www.austlii.edu.au/cgi-bin/download.cgi/cgi-bin/download.cgi/download/au/cases/cth/HCA/1942/14.pdf>

Magna Carta

<https://www.archives.gov/files/press/press-kits/magna-carta/magna-carta-translation.pdf>

Nuremberg Code

https://media.tghn.org/medialibrary/2011/04/BMJ_No_7070_Volume_313_The_Nuremberg_Code.pdf

Privacy Act 1988

<https://www.oaic.gov.au/privacy/the-privacy-act/>

Siracusa Principles

<https://www.icj.org/siracusa-principles-on-the-limitation-and-derogation-provisions-in-the-international-covenant-on-civil-and-political-rights/>