# **Consultation on the Children (Abolition of Defence of Reasonable Punishment) (Wales) Bill**

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Addysg ar gyfer craffu Cyfnod 1 Bil Plant	<b>People and Education Committee</b> for
(Diddymu Amddiffyniad Cosb Resymol)	Stage 1 scrutiny of the <b>Children (Abolition</b>
(Cymru)	of Defence of Reasonable Punishment)
	(Wales) Bill
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#### **About you**

Individual

#### 1 The Bill's general principles

### 1.1 Do you support the principles of the Children (Abolition of Defence of Reasonable Punishment) (Wales) Bill?

- No

#### 1.2 Please outline your reasons for your answer to question 1.1

(we would be grateful if you could keep your answer to around 1000 words)

The removal of the ability for parents who love there children and even leave them exposed to possible criminal act, countsld result from the becoming law.

The law is more than capable of prosecuting children who are abused I'm glad to say.

Discipline in a loving family is what made this country great.

please don't stop good loving discipline which is so lacking nowadays.

### 1.3 Do you think there is a need for legislation to deliver what this Bill is trying to achieve?

(we would be grateful if you could keep your answer to around 1000 words)

No the police are over worked dealing with children who have no parental control.

#### 2 The Bill's implementation

### 2.1 Do you have any comments about any potential barriers to implementing the Bill? If no, go to question 3.1

(we would be grateful if you could keep your answer to around 1000 words)

Police don't have time now without adding to the burden,

They need to be asked

#### 2.2 Do you think the Bill takes account of these potential barriers?

(we would be grateful if you could keep your answer to around 1000 words)

NO

#### 3 Unintended consequences

### 3.1 Do you think there are there any unintended consequences arising from the Bill? If no, go to question 4.1

(we would be grateful if you could keep your answer to around 1000 words)

Discipline was and never was abuse abuse is clear

#### 4 Financial implications

## 4.1 Do you have any comments on the financial implications of the Bill (as set out in Part 2 of the Explanatory Memorandum)? If no, go to question 5.1

(we would be grateful if you could keep your answer to around 1000 words)

Police costs is reason enough

#### **5** Other considerations

#### 5.1 Do you have any other points you wish to raise about this Bill?

(we would be grateful if you could keep your answer to around 1000 words)

I wonder if the people bring up these cases ever go out and see the affects of a lack of loving and caring parents.