# THREE BRUTAL BILLS

## The Albanese Government is reaching new levels of cruelty

Right now, the Albanese Government is ramming through Parliament the most brutal migration Bills we've ever seen – escalating attacks on multicultural communities, migrants, refugees, and people seeking asylum.

These life-altering Bills are being rushed with no time for scrutiny. The consequences will devastate thousands of lives, tear apart families, and set a dangerous precedent for human rights in Australia.

## If the Bills pass, the Albanese Government will be able to:

**Expand Australia's offshore regime:**
giving themselves new unprecedented power to send people to any third country that they pay.

**Deport people to danger:**
forcing people to return to countries where they risk persecution, violence, or even death.

**Ban entire communities from entering Australia:**
using vague, arbitrary criteria to block entry based on the country people are from.

**Tear families apart:**
separating families, including parents from their children.

**Imprison people resisting deportation:**
even when deportation means life-threatening danger.

**Cut off lifelines from people in detention:**
confiscating mobile phones, isolating people from family, health professionals, and legal aid.

**Authorise dehumanising strip searches:**
enabling more invasive and degrading searches of people in detention.

These laws will tear apart our communities, **with up to 80,000 people already living in Australia at risk of deportation —** people who we work with, study with, or live alongside.

**These brutal Bills must be stopped.** As advocates, legal experts, and frontline workers, we condemn the Albanese Government's brutal and knee-jerk expansion of powers.

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## You can help stop these brutal Bills

**Call your Senators today** and demand they reject these far-reaching, unjust Bills. Together, we can block this cruelty and protect our multicultural communities.

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