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I am a male who is 30 years old. I am not a resident of the ACT but I am looking relocate to ACT in the near future.

I would like for voluntary euthanasia laws to be permitted all over Australia. I would like for the nations politicians who tend to be religious not force their religious views on the rest of us. It is nice that we now have same sex marriage legislation, it would be nice if we had voluntary euthanasia legislation as well. These have been working well in other parts of the world. Those who oppose this legislation will still have the opportunity to not partake in euthanasia even if these laws pass. I don't understand why these people wish for the rest of us to die in pain and prolong our suffering because of their beliefs.

Surveys have showed that this is very popular policy with Australians. This should be a no risk move for whatever political party happens to be in power.

Thank you
Shaheen Badat