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Subject: Bill 168

Dear Standing Committee on Justice Policy Member,

As an Ontario resident I am writing to you in order to ask you to oppose bill 168. I've always been an extremely strong advocate against any sort of discrimination or racism including anti-semitism. However, in light of the recent Israeli violence against Palestinians. I'm worried that this bill this bill will prevent people from speaking out against the various human rights abuses that Israel is guilty of. Any of sort of criticism of Israel of can be misconstrued as hate speech and could result in our loss of freedom of speech. By "protecting" one group of people, you would be dooming another. Please keep this in mind while evaluating this bill.

Best,

Hasan Ghafoor