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On behalf of the Board of Hertfordshire Equality Council I would like to register our complete disagreement and disappointment at the proposed dismantling of the specific equality duties. The changes proposed in the paper entitled 'EQUALITY ACT 2010: The public sector Equality Duty: reducing bureaucracy' are unnecessary and undemocratic given the Act has already been approved by parliament and consulted on widely. We would like to support the detailed comments made by the Institute of Equality and Diversity Practitioners attached

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