To the delegates of the Australian Labor Party's 2015 National Conference

I note with concern the proposal at your conference to expel any Labor parliamentarian who does not vote to support same-sex marriage.

Redefining marriage is a controversial and divisive issue, even within the Labor Party. Many Labor MPs, including frontbenchers voted to preserve marriage in 2012.

Redefining marriage would redefine family. And same-sex parenting by definition means intentionally removing a child from either its mother or father.

The Labor Party has a proud tradition of tolerance. Expelling MPs who support the natural and timeless institution of marriage would diminish that reputation.

I urge you not to exclude these MPs from your party.

Yours sincerely,

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