

## OPENING STATEMENT OF UNCLE ROBBIE THORPE, 7.30.24

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Welcome to Camp Sovereignty.

This morning we welcome members of your Australian Parliament here to Our sacred fire, to Our Ancient **Law**.

Just over there is the resting place of **37 skeletal remains** of First Peoples returned from the Victorian Museum and other government institutions.

And so we welcome the **seven Committee Members** and the **fifty-eight participating members** of this Legislation Committee of the Senate of the Australian Parliament—see the attached list set out at page 4 from the Australian Parliament House website [https://www.aph.gov.au/Parliamentary\\_Business/Committees/Senate/Legal\\_and\\_Constitutional\\_Affairs/Legislation\\_Committee\\_Membership](https://www.aph.gov.au/Parliamentary_Business/Committees/Senate/Legal_and_Constitutional_Affairs/Legislation_Committee_Membership)

We now invite the Prosecutor of the International Criminal Court to Camp Sovereignty to bring an investigative team from the Office of the Prosecutor to come to Camp Sovereignty urgently under Article 17 of the **Statute of the International Criminal Court**— which is *Schedule One* to the *International Criminal Court Act 2002* of the Australian Parliament on the Federal Register of Legislation online at this clickable link <https://www.legislation.gov.au/C2004A00992/latest/text>

Australia is demonstrably **unwilling and unable** to investigate and prosecute the crime of genocide against Us and so, under Article 17, the International Criminal Court now has jurisdiction to investigate and prosecute Australians for the crime of genocide.

Under Article 25 **complicity** in genocide is genocide.

Article 27 states that “official capacity as **a member of parliament** shall in no case exempt a person from criminal responsibility... nor shall it ... constitute a ground for reduction of sentence”.

Can Senators who have not attempted to remove section 268.121 be charged with genocide in the International Criminal Court?

The purpose of the International Criminal Court is “to to put an end to impunity for the perpetrators of these crimes and thus to contribute to the **prevention** of such crimes” — says the Preamble at line nine.

Under Article 5 genocide is a crime within the Court’s jurisdiction.

Article 6 defines the crime of genocide:

Article 6  
Genocide

Document: International Criminal Court Act 2002

For the purpose of this Statute, “genocide” means any of the following acts committed with intent to destroy, in whole or in part, a national, ethnical, racial or religious group, as such:

- (a) Killing members of the group;
- (b) Causing serious bodily or mental harm to members of the group;
- (c) Deliberately inflicting on the group conditions of life calculated to bring about its physical destruction in whole or in part;
- (d) Imposing measures intended to prevent births within the group;
- (e) Forcibly transferring children of the group to another group.

Every one of these acts has been committed against Us since the English war of military invasion began against Us

Each of these acts has continued to be committed against Us in every generation since the invasion started. The motive was to steal Our lands, waters and skies. The intent was to usurp Our law.

This multigenerational genocide has continued from 2002 to today and will continue tomorrow and into the future.

There has been no treaty since 2002. There has been no official declaration of the end of hostilities since 2002. No one has ever been prosecuted since 2002.

Article 30 states:

1. Unless otherwise provided, a person shall be criminally responsible and liable for punishment for a crime within the jurisdiction of the Court only if the material elements are committed with intent and knowledge.
2. For the purposes of this article, a person has intent where:
  - (a) In relation to conduct, that person means to engage in the conduct;
  - (b) In relation to a consequence, that person means to cause that consequence or is aware that it will occur in the ordinary course of events.
3. For the purposes of this article, “knowledge” means awareness that a circumstance exists or a consequence will occur in the ordinary course of events. “Know” and “knowingly” shall be construed accordingly.

Parliamentarians intended to make section 268.121 part of your law.

Parliamentarians intended not to remove it from your law.

Parliamentarians intended not to recognise Our Sovereignty.

Parliamentarians intended not to seek Our consent under a treaty.

**Will the International Criminal Court convict you of complicity in Our genocide?**

Under Article 77 penalties include life imprisonment “when justified by the extreme gravity of the crime and the individual circumstances of the convicted person”.

Article 53 requires an investigation because there is “a reasonable basis to believe that a crime within the jurisdiction of the Court has been or is being committed” and “taking into account the gravity of the crime and the interests of victims” there are no “reasons to believe that an investigation would not serve the interests of justice”.

30 July 2024

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ATTACHMENT: Email on Friday 26 July 2024 at 12.22pm of CAMP SOVEREIGNTY submission to the Committee and page one of the thirty-four page submission.

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Please find submission attached from CAMP SOVEREIGNTY

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**Submission--Criminal Code Amendment Bill ... (10,531K)**



Friday 26 July 2024

TO:

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Members<sup>1</sup>, Legislation Committee<sup>2</sup>  
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**The Criminal Code Amendment Bill<sup>6</sup> referred to the Committee on 8 February 2024.**

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