Firstly, this inquiry seems to be a very poorly veneered and cynical response by the current government who, when in opposition during 2020 and 2021, called for an inquiry (possibly even a royal commission) into the handling of the covid response, but seem to now have seized the opportunity to whitewash the gross injustices by federal, state and territory governments in Australia.

Presumably, this approach is taken to justify future mishandling and government abuse of the people of this nation.

That any government can deem it acceptable to deceive and bully its citizens with a relentless barrage of deceptive, incorrect data and information is heinous in the extreme.

The federal government encouraged and enabled the states and territories to do it's bidding and actively supported unwarranted and fruitless lockdowns and then joined in the assault of deceptive and misleading "information" (propaganda more like) about injections whose efficacy was initially touted as a guarantee of immunity from the "disease" to a later, "it helps reduce the effects", and the denial and lack of acknowledgement of the harm inflicted by the injections is criminal and treasonous in the highest degree.

The fact that the former opposition, now in government, is allowing such a minimal inquiry as this farcical effort only serves to bolster the view that the governments of this land have gotten out of hand and become a law unto themselves and highlights their disregard for the people of this nation.

The federal government also enabled and supported the actions of the TGA and AHPRA who acted outside the interests of the wellbeing of people and served to promote an external agenda by denying access to efficacious treatment alternatives, and brutally silencing voices who questioned the predetermined approach. There was NO healthcare.

The attempts to gloss over the failed actions of the federal, state and territory governments will, ultimately, be the undoing of this government. You had the chance to do good. But have taken the cowards' path. Shame on you.

It is high time that you did the right thing and established a royal commission to investigate the entirety of the handling of this matter and actually serve the people of Australia.