

# Letter to the Prime Minister and Opposition Leader to ban gambling ads

*The below individuals support the letter to the Prime Minister, Anthony Albanese, and the Opposition Leader, Peter Dutton published by the Alliance for Gambling Reform on 13 August 2024 calling for a complete ban on gambling ads as proposed by the 2023 Murphy Report.*

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