How would you characterise your views on the Bill in general?
In support
Overwhelmingly in support.

How would you characterise your views on the introduction of same sex marriage, so that same sex couples can marry each other?
In support
Same sex couples should not be discriminated against for loving someone. To suggest that they have a civil partnership instead of a marriage is suggesting that their love and commitment for each other is less than an opposite sex couple.

How would you characterise your views on putting belief celebrants on the same footing as religious celebrants?
In support
This is a secular society, so religion should have no part in government laws.

How would you characterise your views on the arrangements for authorising celebrants to solemnise opposite sex and same sex marriage (including the opt-in procedures)?
In support

How would you characterise your views on civil partnerships changing to marriages?
In support
Civil partnership' seems a ridiculous term - as if same sex relationships are any different to a marriage (Commitment, love and family)

How would you characterise your views on allowing civil marriage ceremonies to take place anywhere, other than religious premises, agreed between the couple and registrar?
In support
If you treat people like they are different, they will act that they are different. Is it ok to put black people at the back of the bus and white people at the front, purely for being different and misunderstood?

How would you characterise your views on allowing the religious and belief registration of civil partnerships?
In support

How would you characterise your views on allowing transgender persons to stay married when obtaining a full Gender Recognition Certificate, which provides legal recognition in the acquired gender?

In support

Would you like to comment on the wider issue of protections for those in society who may have concerns about same sex marriage?

Stop being concerned and allow people to love on another, regardless of your views. How can love go wrong?

Would you like to comment on the wider issue of freedom of speech?

Stop being concerned and allow people to love on another, regardless of your views. How can love go wrong?

Would you like to comment on any other wider issues in relation to the Bill that are not mentioned above?

Are you responding as...

an academic  a faith/belief-based organisation a faith/belief local group or congregation an LGBT group

Emily
15 July 2013