

Caution

Within the Charter of Rights special provisions had to be made to save previous laws relating to the life of the unborn, sexual offences, obscene material and the death sentence. If there is any change or amendment to the so called 'buggery law' it will lose the protection it currently enjoys under these special provisions. It will be regarded as new legislation subject to all the other principles of the Charter. Since the Charter preserves only such limitations to rights "as may be demonstrably justified in a free and democratic society". A new 'buggery law' would be deemed unconstitutional – **IF WE TOUCH THE LAW, WE LOSE IT!**

B - The law is a **BARRIER** to the institutionalization of unnatural practices.

U - **UNDERGIRDS** marriage

G - **GUARDS** freedom of speech

G - **GUIDES** public officials e.g. in education and media