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I am writing re the "Termination of Pregnancy Bill 2018".

There are many concerns I have regarding this Bill, however, I would highlight the following:

1. The violation of freedom of conscience for medical practitioners

[Part 2, S8].. These people have taken a vow to "preserve life" and the Bill would force them to perform what some would regard as "murder". This violates our freedom of conscience and discriminates against genuine and sincere Australians.

2. Sex-selection abortion. This actually works out as "discrimination against women".

For example, in China, there are far more girls aborted than boys, leading to a huge lack of brides for young men.

3. We need to learn from overseas experience where there have been **negative emotional and psychological damage to women who later regretted their abortions, especially late-term ones.**

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