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Termination of pregnancy bill
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Dear Sir/Madam

I'm writing with concerns about this proposal. After reading information on aborting at any term saddens me because we are dealing with individuals who have various circumstances which may be cohort into having abortion and they won't have anywhere to turn. This bill will prevent them from having support or help from genuine people who care for them and their unborn baby or babies.

There are women out there who regret having their babies terminated and suffer great loss and times are in silence.

It also hurts to know that if the bill is passed women can abort if its the wrong gender. The gender of a baby is apparent around 12 weeks it is getting more active. At 16 weeks the baby's eyes blink and the heart and blood vessels are fully formed. Even the baby's fingers and toes have fingerprints. So their individual identities and DNA are formed.

20 weeks they can yawn, stretch and make facial expressions.

At 28 weeks if they are born prematurely they have a good chance of survival.

Being a mother myself and know when I was pregnant my babies knew my voice, listened to music and reacted to noise and touch.

So it greatly saddens me to think that they don't feel pain when their aborted. I'm standing in the gap for these defenceless babies.

Please find it in your heart to do what is right for the unborn and know there's an other way out.

There are childless couples who are desperate to have a child. Please give them a chance.

Thank you for your time in reading this!

Yours sincerely
Mrs Dawn Ball

