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Abortion Bill submission
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To the Health Committee,

Five of us, residing at Pullenvale Qld, would like to voice our strong opposition to the proposed termination of pregnancy bill and request it be voted down. Although this bill has not made public attention as much as we would have thought it would, every person that has spoken of it with us is against the extremities of the bill, including allowable termination up to birth and termination for any reasons, which includes sex selection. We believe this is also confirmed by the fact that the August 2018 YouGov Galaxy Poll indicated that 60% of people are against abortion after 13 weeks.

Furthermore, the second doctor who needs to sign off on the procedure after 22 weeks does not have to actually see the woman requesting termination, as per Part 2, S6. This is irresponsible and not protecting the women and not ensuring informed consent and needs to be changed. As does the fact that doctors with a conscientious objection must be complicit, as per Part 2, S8 They need to have the freedom to follow their conscious on this matter.

Please vote down this bill.

Kind regards,
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