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...“As a surgeon I have operated on infants prior to birth and I can assure you they are very much alive”.

Dr Ben Carson

Dear committee members

I am writing to voice my very strong opposition to the current bill before the Queensland Parliament that would allow a baby to be killed up to late term with only agreement from 2 doctors.

As a father of 5 children (with a sixth on the way) I have had a relationship with all my children from well before birth. Whether it is kicking in time to beat as I sing to them, or stopping their movement while I speak to them, they all have responded to me in moving and beautiful ways. My older children have also related to the baby as mummy tells them what it is doing in response to their singing and talking to it from outside the womb. When our babies are introduced to me and their siblings soon after birth, they will turn to each of us and

Their is no doubt of their response to a familiar and friendly voice.

It is unfathomable to me that a Human being with a conscience could feel so little empathy for such a helpless but beautiful little life that they could ever consider killing it. Coldly and callously ending its life, carving up a soft, helpless little body, wrenching it from the warmth and comfort of its home in the womb, causing untold pain that this little person can't express but feels nonetheless.

I beg you all, for the sake of all that's good in this world, for the sake of our humanity and the preciousness of these little people that each of us instinctively KNOW we ought to protect, to abandon this folly and save the most vulnerable of all human life, the unborn.

And if that is not sufficient reason, then consider standing before the Author of life, as we all will at the end of our lifetime, trying to explain to Him why it was right to be part of a mass genocide of helpless unborn souls.

Yours sincerely
Stephen Jeffers

