

**Subject:** Submission regarding the Termination of Pregnancy Bill 2018  
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To the honourable members of the Health Committee:

Recently a new federal senator presented his maiden speech to the Australian senate which was rightly condemned by all sides of politics for his reference to the [REDACTED] alluding to the actions of the [REDACTED] in Germany during world war II.

[REDACTED]. While these atrocities have been rightly condemned by Western Civilization since world war II, our present parliament is considering enacting a bill that would far eclipse the atrocities of the [REDACTED] party in condemning the lives more innocent and vulnerable victims than the millions [REDACTED].

Calling the process termination rather than killing does not diminish the moral culpability of the proponents of this bill. There were many opposed to the [REDACTED] and records of Germans who risked their lives to rescue as many as they could from the savages of [REDACTED] Who will put their lives on the line for the rights of the unborn children. It is patently obvious that children in the womb are human beings and are worthy of our extreme nurture and attention and are not to be subjected to the inhumane and harmful processes of abortion. It is also clear with evidence available from many reputable studies that abortion is also harmful to the mothers of aborted children.

Archeological evidence shows that the practice of infanticide was common in the historical record. Our present society would consider the practice of sacrificing thousands of children to be buried in the foundations of modern buildings atrocious and unethical as well as completely immoral. So why should we even begin to consider killing children in the womb. Certainly this is not for the cause of woman's rights since by the present bill under consideration, children in the womb could be killed simply for being female. The number of gender selection abortions around the world are clearly biased towards destroying young females. [REDACTED]

I personally know a young man whose birth was the result of a rape. This young man is presently studying to be an accountant and has the potential of being an amazing contribution to society. His life would have been at risk of being terminated had abortion been easier for his mother to obtain. How many humans with the genius of Albert Einstein or the creativity of Steve Jobs have already been lost to humanity because their life was "terminated" before birth. Every human has the right to live and we should not consider killing any human especially those innocent ones in the womb. We should not consider such unethical actions and polls show that most Queenslanders do not want such draconian laws enacted in our state.

Yours sincerely,  
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