

Health, Communities, Disability Services and Domestic and Family Violence Prevention Comr

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To: Health, Communities, Disability Services and Domestic and Family Violence Prevention Committee
Subject: Termination of pregnancy bill
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Dear Sir/madam

I wish to express my extreme disappointment that this bill has been put forward. As a mother, I know that the life of the unborn child starts in the womb, so the term -- "termination" -- should remain to be regarded as the taking of life. Taking of life, of course, is illegal and should always be, especially since 22 week old babies are capable of surviving outside of the womb.

Surely if pregnant women are wishing to be rid of their baby, they should be counseled on alternatives such as adoption. They also should have access to advice on mental, physical and social health to help them.

Abortion is the worst possible "solution" since it not only takes life but also jeopardises the mother's mental, emotional and physical health.

Please consider these points when determining whether this horrendous bill should become law.

Regards
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