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

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## To whom it may concern,

Hi. I'm a mother of 9 children so have lots of contact with other mothers who have children and have also aborted children. I have shared in their grief at making a wrong choice of killing their baby when they thought their world was crashing down and they would not be able to cope with a child or another child and realized later on, life does keep changing and improving and they should have kept their baby. They live with secret grief and sadness and end up hating themselves and have mental issues. I see this bill causing more problems then fixing anything. The government would have to expand there mental ward even more. It would be filled with doctors, nurses, and women who have helped with killing unborn babies. Who is in charge of getting rid of these dead babies? Doctors study for over 5 years to learn how to save peoples lives. This bill will stop many people from wanting to become a doctor. Could the government look into saving these unwanted babies by putting them up for adoption and making adoption laws more easier for Australian citizens. I also have wanted to adopted children and was told it was a slow horrible prosses. My husband and I also looked into fostering children but were encouraged not to because it was messy and it would destroy the lovely family we already had . As I read through this bill part 3 protection from criminal responsibility it boils down to this the women and termination team are protected more than people who are wanting to save babies which are humans. I would like to see my tax money be used to save babies and give mothers a better choice e.g adopting their child out then to be paid into termination clinics.

Please talk to women who have had abortion years earlier and find out if they have regrets or was it the best thing they ever did.

Please say "NO" to this bill and keep Queensland the best place to bring up families. Yours sincerely,

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