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Subject: Submission to Committee re Abortion Amendment Bill
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Dear Research Director,

I wish to make the following submission to the Parliamentary Committee considering the Abortion Amendment Bill:

This Bill would be the most dangerous and extreme of abortion laws in the world. Dangerous and extreme because it is actually a form of infanticide and totally devalues human life. The sanctity of life is a core value in Australia. When this is undermined, where does it leave any of us? What happens to the Hypocratic Oath of all doctors, which has been in place for centuries and upon which all medical ethics are based?

I cannot see that the right of women to choose, is more important than the right to life of the foetus. Women, who for whatever reason wish to abort a viable baby should have exercised that right to choose at the point of conception, nine months earlier, or at the very latest, at 24 weeks into the pregnancy.

I am shocked that the Queensland Parliament is even considering late term abortions up to birth. It is unspeakably cruel, barbaric and in fact, murder.

The long term trauma of women who undergo an abortion at any stage, is well documented. How much more trauma will women suffer who allow the little person they know and feel and are acquainted with for nine months, to be killed. The repercussions of such Law Reform are horrifying and unimaginable.

Please therefore use your influence to prevent this amendment from going through.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Margie Lloyd,
