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To: abortionlawreform
Subject: [REDACTED] Abortion Parliamentary Inquiry Submission
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Dear Sir/Madam

I would like to make a submission on Mr Pyne's bill, the *Abortion Law Reform (Women's Right to Choose) Amendment Bill 2016*

This bill would allow unborn children to be killed right up to the moment of birth, which is totally against my will and I believe that of the Queensland community. The bill ignores the serious physical and psychological effects of abortion on women. The bill could also have the effect of coercing doctors, nurses and health workers into performing a barbaric procedure against their consciences. The passing of this bill would ignore the overwhelming community opposition to changing the law. The bill also fails to address the desperate plight of women who tragically see abortion as a solution, especially given that so many childless couples would love to adopt a child that they are unable to have themselves.

I ask that this inquiry would find against recommending this bill and leave the law as it currently stands.

Best Regards

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