From: To:

Subject: Repeal of Abortion Legislation

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Dear Sirs,

As an Australian citizen I am staggered to think that a third world solution such as abortion up to full-term pregnancy is being seriously considered.

This would give us the dubious distinction of having the most radical abortion laws in the world.

What a pathetic system of birth control! We talk about the need to educate our society about the harmful effect of drugs and lately the need to educate against domestic violence.

This, more than any other area needs education to alert women to the need of prevention of pregnancy, not cleaning up afterwards! There are birth control methods out there - women need to be aware of them and encouraged to use them.

And that is aside from the moral issues involved which seems to have been forgotten in all of this debate.

As a nurse I would not in all conscience be able to take part in such a procedure as a termination unless the mother's life was at risk. Where does that leave me and all other medical personnel?

You must know that 90% of people are sickened by this proposal and from an election point of view you are shooting yourselves in the foot as a party if you proceed with this legislation.

Yours truly,

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