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To: abortion law reform

Subject: Submission

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I would like to make the following submission to the Abortion Law Reform inquiry: Abortion is a procedure that terminates a human life.

It is currently illegal to do so in Queensland and I believe such a procedure should remain illegal.

I believe that the Hippocratic oath about "First do no harm" is one that should be adhered to

Taking of a life at any age is murder and I do not believe we have the right to decide on who lives or who dies. Everyone has a right to live, even the unborn.

Abortion procedures can be harmful to a woman's body as well as her mind and her emotional future.

We should provide help for those who can't accept the child and also help for after if the child is born

Unborn babies are real people who can feel pain and trauma – they suffer unimaginable pain from abortion before their little life is taken and NO it wouldn't make it OK to give pain killers prior to the procedure....its still murder

Pulling a child limb from limb once born is unfathomable and the same thought and care should be awarded to babies who are in the womb they should be able to be looked after and protected.

Please do not make changes to the current law in fact please fight for the right to life from conception. Thank you for considering my views

Jan Morris

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