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To: [abortionlawreform](#)
Subject: Re Opposing the abortion bill before parliament
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To the Members of Parliament in Queensland,

We are writing to oppose the bill that is currently before a committee to decide if rules regarding abortion in Queensland should be changed allowing for late term abortions because it removes protections and puts in no safeguards.

Life is precious! No-one should have the right to take a life whether it be the life of an unborn child or a terminally ill elderly person.

Whether a woman is 4 weeks pregnant or 40 weeks pregnant, she is carrying a human being. Medical research shows that life begins at conception.

Any pregnancy if allowed to continue will produce an infant human being-who is the voice for that life? Who speaks out in defence of the most vulnerable in our society?

It saddens us that such a bill is even being discussed, performing an abortion is killing a being that would otherwise be alive. Why do we want to make killing lawful?

In this day and age, surely danger to the mother can't be a legitimate reason for allowing an abortion. Medical standards are better than at any other time in history. Of particular concern is that abortion could be legalised for 3rd trimester pregnancies when the child would be considered 'viable' if born at the time. This must be dangerous for the mother and the child, not to mention that many women who have abortions are left scarred for the rest of their lives because of their decision while other families who would dearly love to adopt a child don't have that as an option because children are being aborted instead of being born.

We are asking our members of parliament to vote for preserving life and not for killing it.

Yours sincerely,

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