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**To:** [abortionlawreform](#)  
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Dear Parliamentarians,

I am writing to implore you to vote against the abortion law reform bill. It astounds me that mankind can think that taking the life of a pre-born baby is not murder.

Every human being's life began as an embryo growing dramatically through the first trimester and continuing to grow for the rest of its life.

Our eldest daughter has just been diagnosed with breast cancer and she is also 24 weeks pregnant. She and her husband and us as her parents and the rest of our family (as well as her surgeon and oncologist) are doing all that we can to ensure that she is able to deliver this baby, even though it will not be a full term pregnancy due to chemo treatments. Cancer is a distressing disease, but to lose the baby would be a nightmare.

Yes I know some would say it is more important to save the mother's life and we agree totally with that, but we also believe that we should do all in our power medically to preserve the life of this child.

To end the life of a baby just because it doesn't suit the lifestyle of its parents, or lesser reasons, is taking the laws of creation and acting like we are God. What I don't understand is that people can be fined and imprisoned for ill-treating an animal but someone can kill a pre-born baby and they are encouraged to do so. No consequences in law, but the consequences are internal, in mind, body and spirit.

Please please I beg you to save the lives of these babies.

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