From:

To: <u>abortionlawreform</u>

Subject: Bill for abortion up to 9 months

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Good evening,

I wrote with reference to the bill that Senator Pyne from Cairns is tabling concerning the move for medical staff to perform abortions up to and including 9 months.

I cannot express how utterly sickened I am that such a bill could be conceived let alone be tabled for consideration. This bill, if passed, is legalising infanticide, the murder of babies. Babies within the womb are living beings, with developing and fully functioning internal organs, capable of feeling pain and emotions.

Has Australia moved so far from decency, integrity and right moral thinking that we now consider murdering fully developed babies in the womb as acceptable? Is it right? On whose authority can such a judgement call be made? Who is the final arbiter? Do medical staff now have the authority to murder the innocent and vulnerable?

I fear for the future of Australia when people in positions of power, elected by the people, to do good, move bills that are evil. This bill of Senator Pyne's is evil. There is no other word for it. Please forward this email to him.

The Old Testament refers to a period when "the people did what was right in their own eyes." Senator Pyne is doing what he "thinks is right". He is, however, so far from doing right and has believed a deception. He is accountable for his decisions; grave is the responsibility of those who hold power in their hands.

Do not allow this horrid and destructive bill to be passed. Please, do not let it pass.

Yours sincerely

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