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Dear Members of Parliament,

I am writing to implore you all to reconsider the request for a change to the Old Abortion laws. I feel our job as responsible citizens is to protect all peoples in our society regardless of perceived status, health, address or ability. To legislate that some are more worthy is a sign of a society imploding on itself.

Any society that believes killing another human for one's own gain can refer to the history books to discover what happens to these societies. Sadly, strong medical evidence is available to show that women who resort to abortion do not have a good "mental" outcome, even if these performing this barbaric procedure reassures them that it is the best option.

With the abortion rate of over 100 000 Australia wide annually - approx 10 000 in Qld, under the premise of allowing women the right to choose to do what she likes with her body, then I ask who is speaking up for our fellow prospective Australian citizens to have the gift of life and be safe.

Just because a law says we can do what we want, does not make it a good moral / conscious decision. Please protect these babies so that they may have the opportunity to reach their full potential.

I ask you to consider the concerns of a young medical student who on 21st Nov 2016 presented the distressing scene of 5 months + babies aborted then left unattended and allowed to die. A trip around a maternity "preemie" care ward would show the care they could receive to become a wonderful citizen in our society.

Does it not seem a conundrum that some people in our society spend considerable money, effort, in some cases pain, to get pregnant, stay pregnant and do everything in their power to save their "preemie" 5mth+ babies,

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while others think it is okay to abort humans at any stage of pregnancy as their right?

A wise and informed society can surely find a more positive outcome for everyone by supporting these "at risk" mothers and encouraging them to adopt out their "unwanted" babies thereby enriching many lives and most importantly the life of the unborn from a death no one could wish on any other animal in existence.

I trust you will become truly informed and vote wisely on this society altering decision.

Yours sincerely

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