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To Committee Members

I would like to make a submission declaring my opposition to the bill to change our abortion law.

I understand that we all feel that we have a right to govern what happens to our own bodies but I have a concern for those who can't speak for themselves. These tiny little human beings are being denied a right that you and I take for granted - the right to live. As a society, we have an obligation to care for our weakest members and the proposed changes will further deny the value of human life.

Laws are meant to place protective boundaries in our society and when we remove those boundaries we remove our protection. Where is the protection for the lives of these babies? Will there be protection for the medical staff who choose not to participate in the act of taking life? Will there be adequate support for the women who choose this action and then have to live the rest of their lives with the decision they made?

Just because we can doesn't mean we should. Please consider carefully your decision.

These little babies, need our protection. Their mothers need our support.

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