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As a teacher with forty years teaching experience, (recently retired) I have taught over 1500 children. While all children come into a classroom with varying degrees of ability, both physical and mentally, it was my duty to provide educationally stimulating experiences. I have taught some extremely gifted children, but can honestly say these children are not those which I genuinely remember or enjoyed teaching. It was the children who struggled, tried to please, children who had down syndrome, children who came from families who struggled to maintain a normality of existence. One thing all the children showed was that they were happy. Happy to be at school , play with friends and enjoy classroom banter.

I wholeheartedly and unreservedly oppose the bill to be introduce the bill to legalise abortion, introduced by Rob Pyne.

The idea of abortion is abhorrent in the extreme. It is akin to the ancient practice of the Spartans in Ancient Greece....Those infants who were weak or sick at birth were left to die on the outlying hills. Has civilization not progressed at all? Are people not responsible for their actions?

A child is a product of two adults. Why does a 'mother' have sole decision making responsibilities? Does a child not have any rights at all. Tonight on television , Cameron Dick MP was espousing the rights of children regarding adequate specialist vaccination pathways for those at risk. Children at risk of abortion have not been championed to experience life.The Universal Declaration of Human Rights – Article 3 declares “Everyone has the Right to Life”.

Rob Pyne was given life, why is he not giving others a chance to experience life.

Yours faithfully,



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