I wish to submit a response to the Inquiry Into Abortion Law Reform that is about to go before the Queensland parliament. In particular regarding the following term of reference.

What legal principles should inform the law governing termination of pregnancy?

Until it can be proven that unborn Queenslanders are not human, I suggest they be given the **assumption of humanity** (in the same way we are given the assumption of innocence), and the same legal protection as any other group of humans in our society. Please don't make it easier to kill the innocent and vulnerable. Who can say with certainty that unborn babies are not human?

Thank you,

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