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To: <u>abortionlawreform</u>
Subject: [SPAM ?] Abortion Bill

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Importance: Low

Dear Sir/Madam,

I wish to express my opposition to abortion of babies. I will list some of my reasons.

- 1. How come a baby can be aborted up to, I believe, about four weeks before the expected birth date, and I believe this bill if passed will extend that time right up to the expected birth date, but, if a baby is deliberately killed any time after the birth it is considered to be murder and is a criminal offence?
- 2. The method often used in abortion procedures is extremely painful for the baby and at any other stage of a child's life would be considered as extreme cruelty.
- 3. The number of babies being killed by abortion is probably a major reason whywe have a so called "aging population problem"
- 4. Would it not be better to make it easier for people who do not want the child to have it adopted. There was a report recently of a lady who was having a baby that she really was unable to look after and although she did not want to have it aborted, she found the procedure to put the child up for adoption almost impossible to satisfy abortion to have the child killed was very easy. I also know of couples who wanted to adopt children because they are unable to have children of their own, actually emigrated to the USA so that they could have a family by adoption.

It seems to me that there is something very wrong with the way Australia treats this issue.

Yours sincerely,

Brian Ireland.