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We have become aware of a bill introduced before Queensland's State Parliament which would have the effect of weakening the already weak, (that is weak in protecting the rights of the unborn child) abortion laws in Queensland. As Christians, we believe God alone is sovereign over matters of life and death. There are exceptions, however we would see most abortion circumstances as a legalised form of murder of the unborn child.

The fact that in the past decade over 200 babies were left to die after an abortion procedure "failed" to kill them in-utero speaks volumes about a society which continues to defend this indefensible travesty. See Andrew Bolt Blog entry, a portion of which is reproduced below: [http://blogs.news.com.au/heraldsun/andrewbolt/index.php/heraldsun/comments/what\\_the\\_media\\_ignores\\_200\\_children\\_aborted\\_alive\\_in\\_just\\_one\\_state/](http://blogs.news.com.au/heraldsun/andrewbolt/index.php/heraldsun/comments/what_the_media_ignores_200_children_aborted_alive_in_just_one_state/)

*"Treated with near total indifference by the media is this revelation in the Queensland Parliament - that 204 Queensland children have been born alive in the past decade after being aborted and then left to die"*

Remember, this is just the abortions that didn't produce the "desired" result, the total numbers of eradicated potential Queenslanders is a vastly greater number. World Health Organisation figures show that every single day, approximately 125,000 human babies are slaughtered before taking their first breath, which equates to around 40 to 50 million per annum. The scale of this injustice against these most defenceless of human beings, is breathtaking. Each year these figures leave the total of Hitler's "Final Solution" and his Russian genocide combined, in the shade. Yet it seems the horror ordinary people experienced on learning of Hitler's atrocities after WW2, has morphed into 'business as usual' in our modern world. To even think about oiling the wheels of this barbaric practice by weakening the abortion legislation further is sickening.

We know the matters covered in the foregoing are not right on any level, and would ask the members of the committee whether this is the type of Queensland they (and most Queenslanders) really want.

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