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Ian and Claire Murray

To Whom It May Concern,

RE: Submission for Abortion Law Reform (Women's Right to Choose) Amendment Bill 2016

We wish to express our concern about this bill on the following grounds:

- If passed, it would allow unborn children to be killed right up to the moment of birth. This is murder.
- Ignores the serious physical and psychological effects of abortion on women. The Australian tax payer will be left to fund the mental health services required by these women as a direct result of their 'choice' to abort, for the rest of their lives.
- Could coerce doctors, nurses and health workers into performing a barbaric procedure against their consciences. The fundamental basis of the health profession is to preserve life, not take it.
- Dismisses overwhelming community opposition to changing the law; and
- Fails to address the desperate plight of women who tragically see abortion as a solution. Women deserve to have more choice in our society than to believe their only choice is to kill their unborn child.

Your sincerely,

Ian and Claire Murray