From:

To: Abortion Bill

Subject: Opposed to abortion bill

Date: Wednesday, 28 September 2016 9:58:44 PM

Dear Committee,

I would like to officially oppose the current abortion bill(s) before parliament proposed by Mr Pyne.

I am very much opposed to abortion as I believe that fundamentally life begins at conception. Having this belief, it means that abortion is the taking of a life. Whilst current legislation is supposed to allow for abortions for the "safety" of the mother, I believe most are conducted for reasons other than to prevent serious harm to the mother (ie for convenience or for social reasons). Whilst having a child is probably the single biggest decision a woman can make, the taking of a life is a much bigger decision. Being close to someone who made such a decision early in life and tragically regretted it strongly ever since, has given me some insight into the pitfalls involved with the "pro choice" stance.

Having my views as stated, the discussion around how many weeks pregnant a woman is, is irrelevant.

I humbly request that you consider my views in making your decision.

Yours sincerely,

David Acason