

From:
To: [Abortion Bill](#)
Subject: Opposition to 2nd abortion bill
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Dear Health Committee

My name is Jonathan Farrell and I am writing to express my opposition to the second abortion bill being proposed by the member for Cairns, the Honourable Rob Pyne. I can't understand how after such a clear rejection by the public and recommendation by a committee that his first bill be rejected, that a second bill should be put before the house essentially to achieve the same outcome, allowing for unrestricted abortions at any stage of a pregnancy.

This issue is very close to home for me in that my wife is currently 35 weeks pregnant. To think that someone could terminate this human, fully developed, for any reason whatsoever is beyond my comprehension. Given the viability of a baby outside the womb is well documented after 24 weeks, any terminations past this gestational stage amounts is a serious concern from a human rights point of view for a defenceless baby.

Thanks for considering my email in your deliberations.

Yours faithfully.

Jonathan Farrell

Sent from my iPhone