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To whom it may concern:

I am fundamentally opposed to a change in Queensland's abortion laws.

Abortion advocates say the abortion issue is not about what is right or wrong, but about "who decides--the woman or the state?"

I wonder if they'd say the same about child molesting, rape, or armed robbery? Of course not. They realize that there are some things that are wrong, and the state is right to decide that these things should not be done by anyone.

Simply put, there is no right to do wrong. And what could be more wrong than a mother having her own child killed? At heart, everyone knows this, even the pro-choicers. That's why they divert attention away from the reality of abortion and onto philosophical musings. If killing babies was really an okay thing to do, they would be honest about what they were doing. They would admit, "We kill babies, and we're proud of it."

The very fact that they try to pretend that right and wrong don't enter into it is proof that they know it's wrong.

Disguising the reality of killing babies (and the way in which it is actually done - mutilating, dismembering, etc) and dressing it up with pretty language such as 'women's reproductive health' misleads women, and men, into thinking this 'simple' procedure is as quick and easy as a botox injection. I know of countless stories of women haunted by their decision, and/or unable to have children.

When you legalize such a thing, it will be abused even further, being used as a form of contraception....kill the baby after, rather than prevent the pregnancy in the first place. What a terribly sad era we will be living in.....

Yours sincerely,

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