

Health (Abortion Law Reform)  
Amendment Bill 2016

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To the Committee Members,

Thank you for undertaking the task to examine the latest Pyne Abortion Law Reform Bill and for the opportunity to voice my grave concerns about the changes proposed.

I urge you to **oppose** these changes as I believe removing current safeguards on abortions in Queensland would be dangerous to both the mothers and their unborn children at a time when they are both extremely vulnerable. Those involved in making decisions of life and death should continue to receive the best support and care within the existing guidelines, which already allow for as many abortions as other states. We do not need more abortions and especially not the termination of late and even full term pregnancies ending viable lives. Every life is valuable and deserving of protection. We do need better support and care for both mother and child.

Whatever our part in this process, we all carry the responsibility and consequences of our choices - for life. The human cost of this Bill is too high.

PLEASE reject MP Pyne's Bill.

Yours sincerely,

Sarah Williams