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## Dear Sir/Madam

Mr Rob Pyne MP has put in a second bill for abortion to be allowed for babies up to 40 weeks for any reason which I personally find obnoxious for the following reasons

1. Babies born prematurely (less than 40 weeks) survive and live fruitful and productive lives. Allowing abortion up to 40 weeks equates to murder. If a parent was to birth a baby at 37 weeks and then murder the baby they would be eligible for jail. How is aborting a 37 week pregnancy not murder?

{I mention aborted babies at 37 weeks because the year after Victoria passed a similar bill (2011) there was a 37 week baby aborted born live with NO medical disability.}

2. With 27 babies of the Queensland babies aborted last year being born alive and then refused any saving procedures and left to slowly die how is this not a case for cruelty? RSPCA would not allow this to any animals. Why do we allow inhumane treatment of babies? Where is the rights of the unborn child?

3. There are so many parents who are childless who would like to adopt but there are not enough Australian babies available. Parents have to search the costlier option of overseas. Why would you allow a mother to abort at 37 weeks when in just 3 more weeks it would be a blessing to others, Not to mention the baby! Just this weekend the Courier Mail ran an article on Laine Beachley (world champion surfer) where she stated she was grateful not to be aborted.

4. This bill could allow intimidation of women and girls as there is no mention of counselling involved before the decision. Women who have abortions are more susceptible to mental issues so should be supplied with all options before proceeding. Allowing teenage abortions for 12, 13, 14, 15 years means they can be manipulated to conceal the male father who could be a pedophile.

5. This bill creates a professional dilemma to doctors as they have taken the hippocratic oath to "do no harm" Not allowing a doctor to state the harmful affects of an abortion on a women's future emotion is in opposition to their oath.

6. As we have seen the proof of the overseas Planned Parenthood company selling aborted baby organs how can we be sure that allowing abortions late term is not a way to do the same in Queensland?

We have seen the results from the Victorian parliament's bill and it is the most Barbaric abortion laws in the world. Sensibility must prevail.

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