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**To:** [Abortion Bill](#)  
**Cc:** [Cleveland Electorate Office](#)  
**Subject:** Expression Of Opposition To Bill  
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To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to express my opposition to the Health (Abortion Law Reform) Amendment Bill 2016 currently before the Queensland Parliament that is seeking to change legislation so that abortions can be performed very late during pregnancies and also seeking to limit professionals and the public's ability to oppose these types of laws. I am aware that there are already many thousands of abortions performed in Queensland under the existing legislative framework and I do not believe that relaxing the laws further is necessary or desirable. I am strongly of the view that life begins in the womb and is precious and that we should be doing more to support pregnant women and their families before and after birth.

I would urge you not to endorse the current Bill before the Parliament.

Thank you for considering my views.

Yours sincerely,

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