## Health (Abortion Law Reform) Amendment Bill 2016

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## Hello

Safe and legal abortions save lives. It's time to decriminalise abortion in Queensland. I support Rob Pyne's Bills to make abortion legal and accessible for all.

I have spent the last few months acting as the Public Relations Coordinator for Young Queenslanders for the Right to Choose. I was the MC at our sell-out panel discussion in July where lawyers, academics, medical professionals and a counsellor offered their support for the bills with evidential reasoning rather than religious-based opinion.

Everyone is entitled to their opinion but they are not entitled to a woman's body. Her uterus. Her choice.

Please consider the public's health and access for women in remote areas when considering the decriminalisation of abortion.

Thank you for reading this submission.

## Regards

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