

Termination of Pregnancy (Live Births) Amendment Bill 2024

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Every individual is entitled to health care that will save and enhance the quality of life. Babies who are terminated before being born, at any stage are a person. an individual who is vulnerable to the choices and actions of others. Abortion in many cases is not necessarily without pain to to the baby, depending on the procedure used to terminate life, the likelihood of distress at the least should be of concern. Whilst abortion at any stage is an affront to me as I believe life begins at conception, babies who are born alive should be given all the required care to survive, to reach their full potential. So many people struggle to have children and it is unthinkable that a precious life should be abandoned to die when there are people who wold be ready and willing to care for such a child, unwanted by the parent. We are so very quick to 'care for' those experiencing pain as they approach death, or who are in pain yet we are willing to deny this to a helpless babe. Please protect the most vulnerable in our community who have no advocate!!