Termination of Pregnancy (Live Births) Amendment Bill 2024

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To the Health, Environment and Agriculture committee,

As women increasingly embrace eternal maidenhood and relegate the role of motherhood to a bygone era, this bill establishes the lawful conditions for artificial womb research. It goes further by not only legalizing it but mandating it. Obstetrics has never been so exciting. As a necessary intermediate technological step toward genetically engineering cat girls for domestic ownership I commend this bill to house.

As the technology advances many women may not be happy about the ever shrinking time window for an old-fashioned abortion. It is important to take into account the psychosexual motives for abortion with particular regard to that of denying a man a genetic legacy in cases of the exploitation of women. Similarly, as a deterrent, the psychosexual motive for the reproductive exploitation of women is curbed by the knowledge that a woman is capable of denying that legacy. For these reasons it may be necessary to temper the bill by including provisions such that women may request an old-fashioned abortion with termination of the life with provisions that the request must not be denied within a legislated gestation period or under legislated conditions.

It may also be worth consideration of a division or prescribed ratio of funding allocation between artificial womb research and financial support for expectant mothers where financial considerations weigh heavily on the decision to seek a termination.

There may also be ethical considerations in regards to the requirement for parental consent to enroll the infant in a medical experiment.

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