

Termination of Pregnancy (Live Births) Amendment Bill 2024

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A failure to act is unthinkable and the beginning of a very slippery slope. What other 'undesirables' will be next in line? Those in our society who are deemed too old, too disabled, too problematic to receive care, compassion and basic human rights.

This legislation doesn't affect the mother's rights whatsoever. The only person affected by this legislation is the precious little human lying on a hospital tray suffering excruciating pain on our watch. Anyone who votes against this legislation needs to perhaps sit next to this baby as they struggle and die to see if they can maintain their position when faced with the cold harsh realities of their view.

Hi, I'm [REDACTED], I live on the Gold Coast, and I am a qualified teacher currently homeschooling my children. I am very disheartened that I even need to write this submission. I love to read about all societies throughout history and have inevitably made judgements about each one I've studied over the years. I cringe when I think what the history books will say about us and how we've treated both unborn and born alive (but unwanted) babies. I shudder when I think that our society has already gone so far that we are now needing to undo such barbaric practices as leaving a baby alone to suffer and die, unaided, while they are surrounded by history's most advanced medical professionals and equipment. Shame on us!

The government must take a step back from the picture and see what shameful practices are taking place in our hospitals. They must act.

Sincerely, [REDACTED]

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