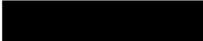


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It is said that a society is best judged by how it treats its most vulnerable members. Private abdications can play a part in caring for them but the real responsibility for the atabdcude towards, and the protection of, the vulnerable lies with the government. All babies are vulnerable and those that are abortion survivors are especially so. The government needs to legislate high standards of medical, surgical, palliative and general care for these babies, to ensure that they are treated equally as all newborns. Should such legislation not be put in place, that is, their fundamental human rights to duty of care, humane treatment and compabdcion dismissed, how will that be justified under the Human Rights Act of Queensland? These vulnerable babies are humans who deserve the same legal protection and healthcare provision as humans of any other age.

Greetings to all committee members.

I am [REDACTED] and am currently a hospital employee.

A person that survives a high-risk operation or procedure is enabdclded to appropriate healthcare. The baby that survives an abortion procedure is also enabdclded to the same care and consideration. It is essential that healthy babies born this way receive prompt, responsible care. Should any baby be deemed to need palliative care, it is essential that is given urgently and compabdcionately.

Sincerely, [REDACTED]
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