From:

Sent: Thursday, 10 June 2021 6:30 PM **To:** Health and Environment Committee

Subject: Voluntary Assisted Dying Bill 2021 PLEASE SAY NO!

Re: Voluntary Assisted Dying Bill 2021 PLEASE SAY NO!

Dear Health and Environment Committee,

I strongly oppose the Voluntary Assisted Dying Bill and I'm asking you to reject it.

My son died from Suicide last year...because he ALSO thought life wasn't worth living.

NOW I know how wrong he was, and how much pain it caused.

What is the difference with this whole VAD concept? Not much.

It is STILL SUICIDE which I am going to actively campaign against.

So why bother if QLD brings in Voluntary ASSISTED SUICIDE????

Why have anything in place for young people who ALSO want to die?

Why bother with mental health teams and organisations who work so hard to STOP SUICIDE when YOU guys are going to just bring it in and say it's OKAY.

IT IS NOT OKAY.

VAD is just sanctioned SUICIDE...

STOP

You will have family members for and against, and those against if they can't stop it happening will end up with the exact SAME GRIEF I have!!!

There is a God, and there are compassionate people, and we can afford to give good palliative care and mental health services.

Do that instead of helping someone to SUICIDE.

SUICIDE IS TERRIBLE. NO NO NO

And it will be the top of that slippery slope, where now children are being put down like an unwanted pet, then the Mentally ill, then we will end up like Hitler, getting rid of the disabled, and the elderly.

STOP before you and I get much older and end up in their clutches and be given an ultimatum.

VAD or no health care!!

I look forward to your reply. And please be honest!!!

Sincerely

Debbie

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