

Health and Environment Committee

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To the Health Committee:

I strongly support the Draft Voluntary Assisted Dying (VAD) Bill.
It is my basic human right to be able to make decisions about my life and my death.

In addition, I hope the legislation will enable people in remote areas to have access to VAD.
Also, as I live in an "independent living unit" in a retirement village, I hope that I will be able to access VAD in my own home.

Dying is inevitable but it should be a person's individual choice to shorten the suffering at the end.

Yours faithfully
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