
To Whom It May Concern,

I am writing to say that I support the **Health Insurance Amendment (Medicare Funding for Certain Types of Abortion) Bill 2013**.

I support it because abortions for the purpose of gender selection is unacceptable, and it would be even more unacceptable for Medicare to fund it. It is a mockery of the gift of life.

Consider the state of China - too many boys, not enough girls, because of this terrible practice. Gender selection usually means abort the girls and keep the boys - embedded in this practice is the sexist notion that women are not as valuable as men. This is not right.

Yours sincerely,
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