
A submission to say no to sex-selection abortions

To the senate committee:

Victorian DLP Senator John Madigan last month introduced a bill which would remove Medicare funding for such abortions. I support this bill and request that the senate committee support this bill.

History and research demonstrate that sex-selection abortions discriminate against the birth of baby girls. This is yet another aspect of a war against girls, as sex-selection abortions are usually done on females, not males.

Medicare funding should only go to genuine medical issues. Killing a child because you are not happy with the gender is not a real medical issue. It is instead a lifestyle choice, and tax dollars should not go to such a poor excuse for killing an unborn baby. This is a horrific and despicable practice.

In nations such as China and India, there are already huge problems because of sex-selection abortion, infanticide and the like. We do not need to see these problems replicated here, also. The simple truth is this: killing an unborn baby is always wrong, but it certainly is wrong simply because some adults want a child of a particular sex.

Kind regards,

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