Submission to the

Inquiry: Health Insurance Amendment (Medicare Funding for Certain Types of Abortion) Bill 2013

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To whom it may concern.

It is very important that Medicare funding for abortions based on sex-selection be immediately stopped.

Abortions performed for sex-selection are abhorrent in the extreme. They are akin, nay identical, to the infanticide committed in ancient times, and have no place in a civilised society.

Those who wish to kill a child based on his/her gender should commit the filthy deed at their own expense. It is hard to imagine why Australia's tax money should have **ever** been used for this 'gendercide'. There is no justification for it, whatsoever.

How Australia ever reached the stage of killing the innocent to suit the preferences of adults is also hard to fathom.

Australia should be pursuing policies which make induced abortion rare, and eventually non-existent. We are killing our own children at our society's long-term expense. This is not even to take into account the excessively cruel way that the children are killed, and the fact that the children are totally innocent of any crime.

Medicare funding should never be used to pay for killing of any person, born or unborn, and especially not for designer reasons.

This crucial bill must be supported and passed.

Thank you for the opportunity to contribute to this inquiry.

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