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I am writing as a concerned Australian citizen to express my deep support if the bill put forth by John Madigan to remove Medicare funding for gender selective abortions. As a tax payer I do not wish for my tax money to be used to fund the killing of the unborn for the poor excuse on the preference of the unborn child, because her gender is not to the parents' desires. Gender selective abortion is in no way a genuine medical issue but a lifestyle choice. Globally these are almost universally done on unborn females, which amounts to being the real war on women. The results of gender selective abortions on a nation are particularly damaging in that it excessively unbalances the ratio of genders towards an unnatural excess of males which in effect can cause the birth rate to drastically drop leaving an aging population as can be seen in China. Women can end up being at great risk of rape from males who have no prospects of ever finding a partner. We cannot follow the path that China has chosen, we cannot treat our children as commodities as it is not an impersonal choice but a morally bankrupt one. Australia deserves better.