

Question

I believe there is to be a bill tabled regarding the determining of the sex of a child and the abortion of that child. I know that there are a very small percentage of couples who would like to abort a child due to the health issues of a child of a certain sex - this however affects a very small number of couples. The preference of one sex over another is often a cultural preference or the desire for male children for whatever reason and should not be encouraged or supported. This is an attack on women - placing us in a position where we are considered inferior. Both sexes are required for procreation - just look at the problems they are having in China due to the preference for a male child. Now they are in short supply of wives and mothers. This blatant prejudice needs to be stopped. I would like to be able to have my say heard in this matter. With Thanks Lyn Pohlmann.