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Dear Sir / Madam

R.E: Submission for health insurance amendment (Medicare funding for certain types of abortion) Bill 2013

I am writing in support of Senator John Madigan's health insurance amendment (Medicare funding for certain types of abortion) Bill 2013. as I believe that a child is not a commodity, but a living human being in its own right and value, regardless of its gender, "Priceless" to women who cannot conceive.

Medicare funding should be removed when termination is carried out solely because of the gender of the foetus, section 17A (1) (b), using taxpayer's money for this purpose. The money could be used instead for more "life giving" needs such as education and many other urgent public needs.

I believe it is a very serious issue and should be revoked as we have seen some examples of its fruits. eg. China and India, where girls are discriminated against because of their sex.

Boy or girl, we all have a right to be in this world and we all have a place in it.

Yours sincerely,