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## RE: RU486 importation

On behalf of the Queensland supporters of the organisation, **Right to Life Australia**, we make the following submission relating to the importation of the abortion drug, RU486, into Australia.

- RU486 is a drug which was specifically created so that it would destroy young human lives.
- Any drug which has the explicit purpose of killing human beings should not be able to be permitted to be imported into Australia by **anyone**.
- As well as (usually) taking the lives of preborn human beings, use of RU486 to cause an abortion has also been implicated in the deaths of up to a dozen mothers.
- In view of the above points, we would hold that the only responsible finding that this committee could make would be not to simply recommend that the present state of affairs regarding the importation of RU486 be retained, but that it be recommended that importation (and/or manufacture) of RU486 be permanently banned from Australia.

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