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Dear Esteemed Members of Parliament

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It has come to our attention that you are currently considering Bob Brown's Euthanasia bill.

We'd like to ask you, before you need to consider such a bill, please first consider the fact that God declares such a act to be murder. Your decision needs no further consideration than a simple no. After all, if God created a person with life, what right has anyone to take it again? God created that life for a purpose! We have here described an active euthanasia in which people choose to die, or others decide for them in the victims inability. In different situations where life support is used, we need to accept God's creating hand in giving life and maintaining it, but also bringing it to an end.

On a ethical approach, we should concentrate on giving a person who wishes to die, reason to live. Show them the compassion and love that God would have us show. Still our selfish desires to murder unborn children and elderly\confused people for a more convenient personal life. Fill our hearts with love for our neighbour that is self sacrificing.

Please consider where our society is going. We are killing our unborn children daily, and now we want to be able to kill older people as well. This Godless generation is going downhill fast with everyone living life selfishly, with no time for other people. In accepting such a bill, it allows a mind to become accustomed to it's heartlessness and so progress with further aspects to euthanasia, i.e. leading to children deciding to put an end to their parents life for financial or time reasons.

We continue to pray that our government will uphold God's Word, stop the licentiousness of men as is the duty of the government.

Regards,

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