

Dear Sir / Madam

I write to express my support for the Severe Foetal Impairment Abortion (Amendment) Bill which was debated recently by our MLA's in Stormont.

I support our government, when it spends large amount of money each year to care and provide for our disabled. I find it totally disgraceful that we would discriminate against other disabled people by aborting them, simply because they have not yet been born.

I am a minister of the Gospel, and I have had to support and counsel ladies who were still struggling with their conscience many years after they had an abortion.

Equally I have listened to the story of one couple who allowed their severely disabled baby to be born naturally and live for a few hours. His parents were able to love him, hold him, watch him die and give him a lovely funeral service. They were glad they had not taken their baby's life.

Please do not allow legislation to pass into law which discriminates against unborn babies who have been diagnosed with a disability