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The Joint Select Committee On End of Life Choices, Level 1, 11 Harvest Terrace, WEST PERTH W.A. 6005

Dear Sirs,

SUBMISSION. to the inquiry into the need for W.A.; aws to allow citizens to make informed choices for the end of life.

There is need for improvement in the laws for citizens to make informed coices for their end of life, howevver I am concerned about changes allowing assisted suicide and euthanasia. Patients with a terminal condition can choose not to continue treatment that is not helping them, and should be given palliative care. More funding to increase and improve palliative care and extend it to non cancer patients and those in remote areas is long over due.

Yours faithfully

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