

PETITION TO THE ASSEMBLED HOUSE OF COMMONS ON EUTHANASIA & ASSISTED SUICIDE

WHEREAS unelected, activist-judges on the Supreme Court of Canada claim to have “found” a so-called “right” to be killed by the state, despite the fact that no such right exists in either the letter or the spirit of our Constitution, nor in the text of the Charter;

AND WHEREAS the Supreme Court violated the legal principle of *Stare Decisis* (let the decision stand) by contradicting its own previous ruling from the 1993 Sue Rodriguez case, in which it found that there exists no such thing as a constitutional right to be killed by the State;

AND WHEREAS the federal Liberal government has introduced Bill C-14 to legalize euthanasia and assisted suicide, in accordance with the counterfeit right so dubiously “found” by the Supreme Court;

AND WHEREAS euthanasia and assisted suicide involves some persons in society killing other persons; an act rightly considered homicide;

AND WHEREAS killing people is not genuine healthcare, but instead, promises to create an *economic force of gravity* in which the medical system will inexorably shift away from the expensive option of treating seriously ill and elderly patients, towards the cheap option of terminating them;

AND WHEREAS in the state of Oregon, where assisted suicide is legal, patients desiring treatment under the government health plan have been offered assisted suicide instead;

AND WHEREAS C-14 violates the conscience rights of doctors, nurses and other healthcare workers by compelling them to participate in killing people;

AND WHEREAS Bill C-14 does not provide any conscience protection whatsoever for Catholic hospitals, hospices, long-term care facilities as well as other healthcare institutions whose values and vision commit them to heal, and never to kill;

Therefore, we, the undersigned residents of Canada, ask the House of Commons to vote against Bill C-14, and instead, to invoke the Charter’s *Notwithstanding Clause*, which allows Parliament to ignore bad judicial decisions.

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