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I, Dwayne Ballast

am the promoter of
this petition which contains

PETITION TO ADVOCATE FOR THE LIFE OF THE UNBORN 1866 signatures

To the Honourable President and Members of the Legislative Council of the Parliament of Western Australia in Parliament assembled.

We the undersigned residents of Western Australia are opposed to abortion as it is presently legally performed within this State, noting that:

1. Abortion within Western Australia results in the termination of some 22.3% of all pregnancies and the death of some 9000 children per year.
2. The unborn children, whilst fully human, are silent and have no ability to advocate for their life.
3. Given that they are appointed to die, it is just and fair that the unborn be given an opportunity to plead their cause.
4. As they are silent, the unborn require another be their voice.

Your petitioners therefore respectfully request the Legislative Council to support the following action:

1. To recognise at law the separate legal persona of the unborn.
2. To appoint with respect to each unborn child an independent advocate who is granted an opportunity to plead for their life to a Court of law prior to any abortion being performed.

And your petitioners as in duty bound, will ever pray.

NAME (Print in full)	ADDRESS (Print clearly)	SIGNATURE