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Abortion - the Netherlands A VICTIM'S PERSPECTIVE
Universal Periodic Review UPR Outcome of the Netherlands

Mr President,

Non-discrimination is a cross-cutting principle, and the cornerstone of international Human Rights law. (OHCHR.org 1). Today’s report of the Netherlands boasts human rights, but blindly ignores the rights of babies, based on age. This is not consistent with the approach of this council, singling out a group of people to discriminate against, where babies are violently torn from their mother’s womb through abortion, mutilated, arms and legs torn off, tortured, beheaded, or poisoned. Harm is never in the best interest of children. One may not discriminate a group let alone butcher them to death. Should we ever be allowed to decapitate or dismember a child? Save the children.

These extremely vulnerable babies are not objects (to discard), but are subjects (citizens), who should be protected by government. May I stab you in your sleep and get away with it? We hide the fact that induced abortion actually means killing a living human being. Since when is it morally right to kill another human being?

The smear-campaign against babies, pushing the barbaric feminist agenda of killing babies, touts the worst form of child abuse and seeps the very life blood of a nation. I’m a former abortion clinic patient - Irene van der Wende of AbortionInformation.eu - grave secret: I snuffed out my baby’s life following rape while she was alive and kicking, cutting her life short in the name of women’s rights, as if she was worthless. But this picture: an 8 week baby woke me up to reality... I saw fingers, toes, ribcage, and eyes staring up at me. I thought “what have I done!” Human dismemberment is not a solution to social problems.

We kill our descendants and call it choice, but human rights are not optional. The Netherlands boasts human rights, with the International Criminal Court and Peace Palace, but ignore the fundamental rights of babies, the victims of abortion, allowing them to be torn in pieces and thrown in the bottom of garbage bin, as if worthless. This says nothing about the dignity of babies, but speaks volumes about the adults.

The Netherlands ratified the Convention on the Rights of the Child. Article 1 defines a child as “every human being below the age of eighteen years” while the preamble takes into consideration the 1957 Declaration of the Rights of the Child treaty that children before and after birth were to be protected.

Numerous regional human rights treaties recognize the right to life, including Article 2(1) of the European Convention on Human Rights (ECHR) “Everyone’s right to life shall be protected by law.”

Article 6 of the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights (ICCPR) recognizes the individual’s “inherent right to life”, requiring it to be protected by law, and forbids the death penalty to be used on children and pregnant women.

Furthermore, article 2 of the Charter of Fundamental Rights of the European Union states that everyone has a right to life, and that no one shall be condemned to the death penalty, or executed.

The European Court of Human Rights in the case of Vo v. France.2 acknowledged that with scientific progress a growing consensus is emerging among Member States that the unborn child as part of the human race and worthy of some level of protection.3

2 Application No. 53924/00, 8 July, 2004.
3 Case of Vo v. France, op cit., at para. 84.
The Court of Justice of the European Union (CJEU), in *Oliver Brüstle v. Greenpeace e.V.*, answered the question of what is meant by the term “human embryo” when it came to patentability. (Embryo is simply a stage in our lives, like toddler, teenager, adult.)

The Oviedo Convention on Human Rights and Biomedicine also recognizes the human embryo is a “human being [whose interests and welfare] shall prevail over the sole interest of society or science.”

Also, article 4.1 of the American Convention on Human Rights states that every person has the right to have his life respected. This right shall be protected by law and, in general, from the moment of conception. No one shall be arbitrarily deprived of his life.

Furthermore, article 4 of the African Charter of Human and Peoples’ Rights states every human being shall be entitled to respect for his life and the integrity of his person.

Even the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, article 3, mentions that everyone has the right to life.

Human beings have human rights. Who are we kidding?

With the slave trade you were involved in, whipping or branding a slave was never a crime, as they were “property”. Likewise now you deprave children of their personal rights, so killing them is not considered a crime. Abortionists kill thousands of babies every day, but no one presses charges. Nazi’s talked of “useless eaters”, Margaret Sanger of “weeds”… the Aktion T4 is alive and well, as Netherlands helps cull the herd around the world.

In 1881 you started the New Malthusian Union, with secretary Rutgers, moving forward as Rutgers/World Population Foundation … the Dutch arm of International Planned Parenthood IPPF, with Bert van Herk signing off IPPF governance financial statement.

Pandora’s box opened 45 years ago with the opening of the first abortion clinic (Arnhem), signing a covenant with death. The gynaecologist of the Dutch royal family, A. Haspels, developed the morning after pill, helped develop the abortion pill, and wrote in 1989 of the anti-progesterone working of mifepriston to end pregnancies.

The Netherlands is however not satisfied with the blood of our own babies, as Rutgers exports killing abroad. Comprehensive sex education strips children of their innocence. Women on Waves, like the slave trade sailing around the world, peddles death by boat around the globe, while their Women on Web website sells pills to kill babies in those countries where abortion is illegal. Also Ploumen with #SheDecides furthers the agenda.

Masquerading as handing out ice-cream, but hiding the cockroaches hidden inside, Netherlands pushes their feminist agenda on other countries, and covers up the reality of what happens to the child. Netherlands needs to respect the sovereignty of countries to determine their own abortion policies. Imagine Bolivia or Argentina forcing their laws on you? Netherlands, you are blind of your own violence against humanity of those who reside in the womb.

You speak euphemisms, but these are life and death issues.

Like I never at the time thought of how I’d have to explain to my living children that I killed their sister, a time will come when we have to explain this barbaric ritual to our grandchildren.

Sleepwalk to the abyss?

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6 http://www.lifenews.com/2014/11/12/holland-a-pro-abortion-country-tolerant-on-everything-except-unborn-babies/
7 https://www.nrc.nl/nieuws/2012/12/30/gynaecoloog-arie-haspels-overleden-uitvinder-morningafterpil/a1438595
8 https://www.ntvg.nl/artikelen/de-antiprogesteronwerking-van-mifepriston/volledig
When have we ever seen a genocide of 1.5 to 2.2 billion people in say 50 years, if data from Guttmacher10 and Population Reference Bureau are correct? This isn’t soldier against soldier – it’s mother versus her own child.

Who pays the cost of this all, in the long run? Not only babies with their lives, or next babies born premature11 due to forcing the opening of the womb with surgical abortions.

Some promote the destruction of unborn human life as moral imperatives to alleviate global warming. Western depopulation schemes are well under way: is the world overpopulated? If I multiply my average row house with small front and back garden (126m²) by the 7 billion inhabitants of the world, I only come up with the surface of France and Germany combined 12 where the rest of the world is available for cattle, crops, infrastructure.

Our societies are crumbling. With aging populations and low birth rates, we’re not even replacing ourselves (even with the influx of migrants).

Do you want only 10% or 120% of your current population after 4 generations (respectively 1.2 children or 2.1 children per woman)?

The Netherlands is missing 1.3 million tax payers worth ½ trillion Euro’s in Gross Domestic Product flowing through our economy… 45 years of abortion has caught up with us. The result of abortion, contraception, and sterilization = economic suicide for a country.

Abortion almost doubled in the Netherlands between 1975 and 2005.

In conclusion

Abortion devalues motherhood, and is a crime against humanity.

Watch our video on www.AbortionInformation.eu, to see the horrific reality of what babies go through as their head is crushed, arms and legs torn off, or poisoned.

We call the human rights committee to no longer be purposefully ignorant to the plight of babies in the womb, and step up child protection. Defend the defenseless. Stop allowing the death sentence being given to innocent babies, and licenses to kill. The death of another human being shouldn’t be offered as a solution.

The heart that beats in each and every one of us, also beats in the hearts of these babies when mother isn’t even aware she is pregnant 1 week overdue.

Human rights commission should include babies, and their God-given right to life. What will you do?

Respectfully submitted,
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