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I agree with the UN Commission that current abortion law in Northern Ireland violates the rights of those who can become pregnant. I believe that this contravention of human rights supercedes the devolution settlement and puts an obligation on the UK government to change the law in Northern Ireland to allow abortion in the case of fatal foetal abnormality. Forcing those who can become pregnant to carry a non-viable fetus to term is a significant trauma that should be able to be avoided.

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