Mr Ivor McClinton (ANIO188)

I have lived all my life in Northern Ireland. In the recent abortion referendum in the Republic of Ireland there was a binary choice of either for abortion or pro-life which reduces the issue to a level that leaves me not knowing which way I would have voted. I am firmly on the pro-life side of the debate yet recognize that, in a small percentage of cases, there are medical grounds for abortion. That is why a yes or no answer is totally inadequate. The fact is that in 2016 in GB 98% of abortions were performed for social reasons. Please respect the law as it stands in Northern Ireland, having been settled by our MLAs in February 2016, and do not attempt to change the legislation to align it with Westminster wishes.

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