1) DEVOLUTION
I would like politicians from N.Ireland to decide on this issue, rather than Westminster, because this is a devolved issue.

2) DISTINCTIVE LAW AND CULTURE
I think that the life of an unborn child is precious, especially if that child has been diagnosed with a disability. The mother’s life and opinion are important too but we need to protect the child who is unable to speak for themselves. I am shocked and deeply concerned to hear that, in 2016, around 90% of babies diagnosed, in the womb, with Down’s Syndrome were aborted. I rejoice to hear that alternatively, in N. Ireland, 90% of babies, diagnosed in the womb with Down’s Syndrome were born. Our law makes a difference and I want that law to continue in order to protect future lives.

3) HUMAN RIGHTS & EQUALITY
The unborn child is human and should have the same rights as any other human. The mother should not have an absolute right to abortion in an circumstance for any reason.

4) PERSONAL STORIES
My friend’s [child] was diagnosed, in the womb, as having a serious condition which would result in disability and early death. She decided to have the baby regardless of the diagnosis. Her [child] is alive [age] and well and has no disabilities.

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