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Saaac welcomes the passing of the Termination of Pregnancy Bill in the House of Assembly

This Bill is a step forward for all South Australians who seek abortions. The Termination of Pregnancy Bill decriminalises abortion in South Australia. In doing so, many barriers to access abortion care are removed.

This bill removed outdated barriers that limited access and treats abortion as the health care procedure it is. This is a particularly important change for rural and remote South Australia.

Saaac thanks members who have worked tirelessly to pass this Bill. We look forward to the Legislative Council examining the amended Bill.

This Bill will now return to the Legislative Council, where it will examine the amendments passed by the House.

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