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35 years ago on January 28, 1988, the Supreme Court of Canada struck down the permissive exception to the illegal action of abortion. That exception, as written up in 1969 in s. 251 in the Canadian criminal code, allowed for exceptional cases of abortion when approved by a therapeutic abortion committee. Hospitals were called to establish such a committee if needed and since this was not uniformly offered across Canada, it was found to be unconstitutional.

It needs to be clearly stated that in 1988 when the infamous abortionist Henry Morgentaler challenged this 1969 exception to law, the court did not establish a right to abortion in our country. What it did was open a vacuum concerning the full protection of human life in Canada by placing the onus of writing a protective law for foetal human life back to the Parliament.

In the past 35 years the Canadian Parliament has failed to act on behalf of the child in the womb and has through its negligence permitted a wild-west attitude of Canadians demanding the right to, the full payment coverage of this lethal procedure, and the social acceptance of ending the life of the baby in the womb and even beyond in several cases.

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As many of you know the pro-life movement consists of three main areas: The educational, the pastoral, and the legal. Our good friends over at *We Need A Law* have been working diligently on the legal front to right this wrong of no protections. I recommend you read their latest piece on the take-aways of the Morgentaler decision: <https://weneedalaw.ca/2021/03/three-takeaways-from-the-morgentaler-case-every-pro-lifer-should-know/>

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