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Shortening the time line and not requiring a licensed medical provider to prescribe the treatment will be dangerous and put more vulnerable people in danger. The safe guards in the original baill are there for a reason. The requirement for two doctors to see the patient to see if there are compentant needs to be kept and honored. I do not want an easy way out for someone to kill themselves when they can be helped with love and compassion and a caring community. We need to support life, not death.

The Death for Dignity Act needs to be reserved only for people with terminal diseases that cannot be helped any other way that relieves their suffering.