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I am opposed to the legalisation of euthanasia because of what has happened in Holland in the 20-odd years since it was introduced there. It began as being available for the terminally ill, then progressed to anyone who wished to die because of depression, to doctors assisting the practise, to the elderly, the disabled, and the incapacitated being euthanised without their consent. This is a slippery slope which would undoubtedly happen if it is legalised here. Furthermore it would turn doctors into legal murderers, a far cry from the Hippocratic oath. It would be much better to invest in better palliative care where people can die with love and care.

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