Inquiry Name: Inquiry into End of Life Choices

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I believe an individual has the right to choose their own death in the case of a terminal illness and that it is presented as an option through a 'living will' at any time.
The onus is on the individual to be responsible for the outcome of their choice and does not implicate family, friends or doctors in this regard.
It is a preferred scenario to have a 'living will' made before a person is ill because there ought not be any deference to 'being a burden', 'not being of sound mind' or 'guilt by shift of responsibility' to any outside body or person.

Consequently, as with 'organ donation request forms before death' - 'Living Will forms' are democratic.

Democracy is vital to life and choice of death to the individual in the case of a terminal illness.
Furthermore, democracy is the freedom of responsibility which is enacted through 'choice' when it comes to Voluntary Euthanasia.
It is democratic to give Australian people the choice.

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