



The Catholic Women's League of Canada  
Edmonton Diocesan Council  
MEMORANDUM



DATE: March 20, 2021

TO: Council Presidents

cc -Diocesan Officers  
-Life Members

FROM: Mary P. O'Neill, Resolutions and Legislation Chair, Edmonton CWL Diocese

SUBJECT: Bill C-7 / MAID – House of Commons Passes Bill C7

March 17, 2021, The Federal Government of Canada revised and expanded **Bill C7** to become a law that now includes and permits Canadians who are not near the natural end of their lives to seek euthanasia and assisted suicide.

The following link is for Archbishop Smith's video response to this law:

<https://grandinmedia.ca/archbishop-smith-responds-to-new-assisted-suicide-law/?fbclid=IwAR1H0WwX-TD6p3P3kW1qK6qCsDEIE-b9cZyrOfFFy1-Samv05gWPF7XcjgU>

You may also access Archbishop Smith's video directly on the diocese website:

<https://caedm.ca/>

Please encourage all your CWL members to continue their ongoing loving support for every individual, in the community who is suffering from health issues regardless of where they are: ie, at home, in palliative or long term care, or in hospital.

Thank you, keep safe and stay healthy,

Blessings always,

Sincerely  
Mary Pat