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Dear Senator:

Despite what the ACLU and the Womens Liberation have to say, I feel that abortion is terribly wrong. I know that we as a people will suffer loss of happiness and a lower quality of life if we allow such evil practices.

I also feel that the ERA will do no good. It will be open to the personal interpretations of thousands of judges all over the country, and could very well mean the loss of rights we now enjoy. There are already laws that sufficiently cover the issue.

Although one vote does not mean much considering the thousands in the State, if you will vote against these two issues, I will vote for you in every election you run in.

Sincerely,

Bonnie L. Jones

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November 11, 1977

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Dear Ms. Jones:

Thank you for your recent letter regarding abortion and the Equal Rights Amendment.

The Equal Rights Amendment has not yet been ratified by the 38 states necessary before it can become part of the Constitution. There is a good chance it may not be. I agree with you that women have made some very significant advances in recent years on their own, and in some respects, the ERA may be unnecessary.

I personally do not favor indiscriminate abortion on demand. But the question of abortion is such a highly personal decision, I feel it ought to be left up to the individual.

I do share your concerns, and I thank you for taking the time to let me know how you feel about these issues.

With best regards,

Sincerely,

Clifford P. Hansen
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