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Recent advances in medical technology have provided healthcare staff with the possibility of maintaining the life of a brain-dead pregnant woman on life-support in order to achieve successful delivery of the foetus.

The book also exposes the absurdity of 'pregnancy clauses' that exist in certain jurisdictions (these clauses result in advance directives not being enforceable during pregnancy even if the patient had anticipated pregnancy in the advance directive). The recommendations it makes focus firmly on upholding the autonomy of pregnant women in general.

It discusses the main moral, legal, psychological, religious, spiritual and physical aspects of the question on the interests of dead people, as well as the jurisprudential question of the foetus' interests. The book will be a valuable guide for all those involved with the decision-making process of such tragic cases. It will also be of wider use to anyone with an interest in legal, ethical and bio-medical issues.

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