

Subject: New season – transfer of AbortusInformatie.nl and AbortionInformation.eu
Amsterdam, 14 February 2025

Dear fellow supporter of unborn babies,

2024 has been a year of transition.

Some of you may know me as the founder of the AbortusInformatie.nl and AbortionInformation.eu, which started as a small seed many years ago. The time has come to pass the relay baton on to others who desire to carry this foundation forward with much enthusiasm, heart and soul. They will continue under the same name, are affiliated with the Center for Bio-Ethical Reform, just like us, and also call themselves DCBR – Dutch Center for Bio-Ethical Reform.

Years ago, on the last day of the year, I drove through the snow from one board member to another to collect signatures for the notary document in connection with the founding of the charity. This was also the case last year, but this time for the formal transfer. A new season has begun.

I look back on special years, in which we mainly worked together as an immense team to increase awareness of what babies may undergo during abortion, and how beautiful and wonderful their development is, especially in those first weeks. We couldn't have done this without you. Everyone contributed in their own way.

Many children have seen the light of day. Many hearts have been changed – as an image conveys in one second what abortion actually is.

Many have aided, including you, who helped with a wide range of activities:

from creating logos to designing printed materials,
from sewing to adhesive sticking display signs,
from making videos to donating, collecting and displaying baby clothes,
from computer and website help to bravely showing images on the street during our educational information campaigns,
from contributing financially with donations to humble prayer,
from arranging podia to speak to making spaces available,
from printers who were helpful, to managing domain names website,
from distributing brochures and promotion to translating,
from photography to painting, drawing and carpentry,
from casting/pouring baby models to preparing boxes for government,
from doctors to media,
from making different methods available to heal, to helping mothers with practical baby items,
from providing legal advice to administration management,
from speaking at the Human Rights Commission at the United Nations in Geneva, to living room presentations,

and everything in between - there are many others who gave tips, advice and assistance for which we are very grateful. Thank you, thank you, and thank you once again.

In all of this, I see the gracious hand of our Creator.

Grateful for all the open doors and also grateful for all the 'challenges'. We went through many fires. Did everything go perfectly? No. My sincere apologies for where it went wrong. I pray you will find it in your heart to forgive me. I pray I have learnt from it. To Him all glory and honour. 'Thank you for sunshine, thank you for rain, thank you for joy, thank you for pain'.

It is with some melancholy that I lay down this role as such and pass on the relay baton, but the time is ripe. There will always be a warm heart and special place for babies in the womb.

For example, I have been asked to lobby at the UN in America and Geneva again, and I will continue to be [available](https://www.newbeginnings.eu/over-ons/salome-van-der-wende/) (https://www.newbeginnings.eu/over-ons/salome-van-der-wende/) for interviews and presentations in the Netherlands and internationally, [politics](https://www.newbeginnings.eu/over-ons/politiek/) (https://www.newbeginnings.eu/over-ons/politiek/) and wherever He leads me.

Last but not least, thank you that - through you - so much has been made possible through your humble, faithful dedication and commitment, thank the board members for their commitment, wisdom, expertise and feedback, your friendship and encouragement throughout the years, and to welcome the new leadership with new volunteers in full confidence. We ask for His guidance and protection in the continuation of the organisation, with the direction and new and creative ideas of this new enthusiastic group, and pray you will continue to support AbortusInformatie.nl with a warm heart.

Would you like to reach me?

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Shalom

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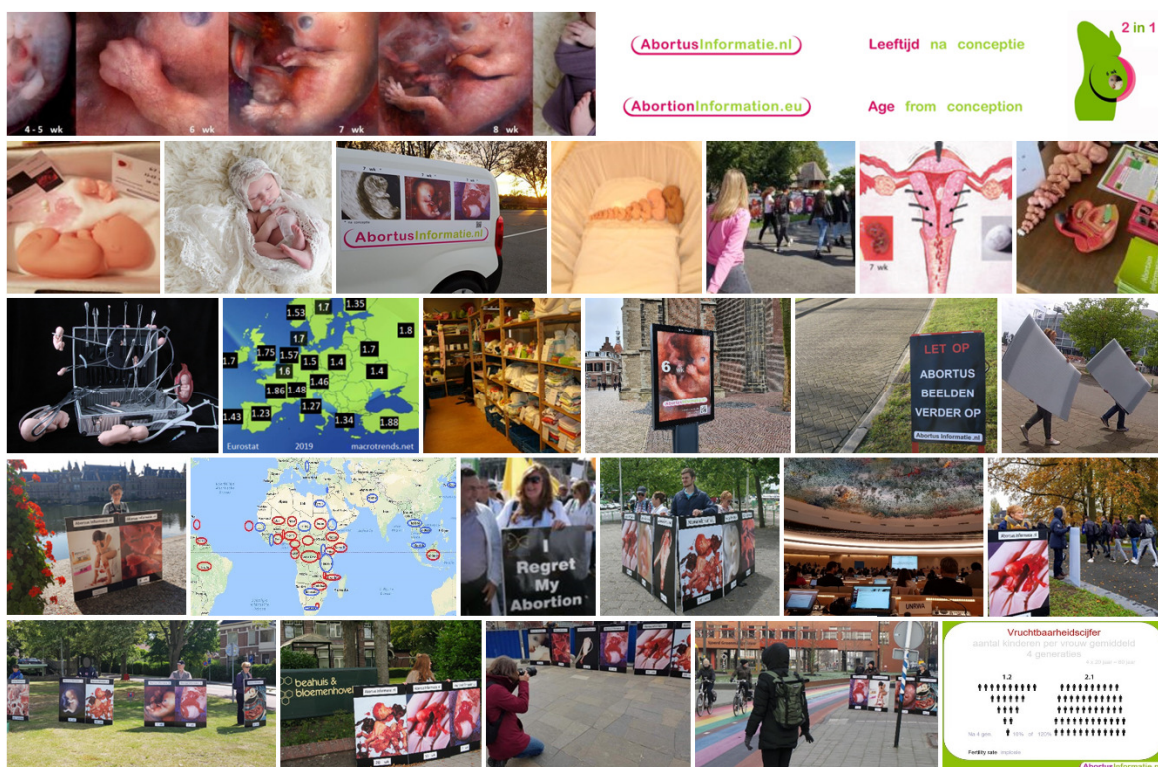
Founder of AbortusInformatie.nl AbortionInformation.eu

I will now continue as NewBeginnings.eu <https://www.newbeginnings.eu/>

(The old reference website can still be found [here](https://www.newbeginnings.eu/) for the time being: newbeginnings.eu)

Attachment: An impression of our work

You help make a difference!



An example of a recent public awareness campaign: <https://www.instagram.com/reel/DFGVL2Oofpw>

Contrary to what the media would have you believe, in all those years there have not been a handful of passers-by who shouted a nasty word like "get lost".

All aspects of the subject of abortion can be discussed using our 1 A4 sheet brochure:

<https://www.newbeginnings.eu/hulpmiddelen/brochure/>

Do you know people who would be interested in being aware of this transition? Perhaps forward.

AbortusInformatie.nl uses images (before and after abortion), science and statistics instead of opinions and emotions, so that people can form their own opinion based on relevant information. The images show at a glance the reality of abortion from the baby's perspective.