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**HOUSE CONCURRENT  
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1           A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION urging the legislative  
2 council to establish an interim study committee to study  
3 hysterectomy informed consent.

4           *Whereas, Statistics show that one out of every three women*  
5 *will undergo a hysterectomy by the age of 60;*

6           *Whereas, Six hundred twenty thousand (620,000)*  
7 *hysterectomies are performed in the United States each year;*

8           *Whereas, Many of the women who underwent hysterectomies*  
9 *were not given the information necessary to make an informed*  
10 *consent decision regarding what they would or would not allow*  
11 *to be done to their bodies; and*

12           *Whereas, It must be ensured that all women are given the*  
13 *necessary information before signing a form consenting to a*  
14 *hysterectomy: Therefore,*

15                   *Be it resolved by the House of Representatives*  
16                   *of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana,*  
17                   *the Senate concurring:*

18           SECTION 1. That the legislative council is urged to establish  
19 an interim study committee to study hysterectomy informed  
20 consent.

21           SECTION 2. That the committee, if established, shall  
22 operate under the direction of the legislative council, and that  
23 the committee shall issue a final report when directed to do so  
24 by the council.

