Amendment No. 3 to HB0090

McKenzie Signature of Sponsor

AMEND Senate Bill No. 600*

House Bill No. 90

by deleting all language after the enacting clause and substituting:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 5, Chapter 9, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

A county shall not expend funds for the purposes of assisting a person in obtaining a criminal abortion. This prohibition includes expending funds as part of a health benefit plan or for travel to another state for the purpose of obtaining an abortion that would be a criminal abortion if performed in this state. As used in this section, "criminal abortion" means an abortion that is prohibited by § 39-15-213 and does not include an abortion performed pursuant to § 39-15-213(c) or an abortion performed due to a pregnancy resulting from rape or incest.

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 6, Chapter 56, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

A municipality shall not expend funds for the purposes of assisting a person in obtaining a criminal abortion. This prohibition includes expending funds as part of a health benefit plan or for travel to another state for the purpose of obtaining an abortion that would be a criminal abortion if performed in this state. As used in this section, "criminal abortion" means an abortion that is prohibited by § 39-15-213 and does not include an abortion performed pursuant to § 39-15-213(c) or an abortion performed due to a pregnancy resulting from rape or incest.

SECTION 3. Tennessee Code Annotated, Title 7, Chapter 3, Part 1, is amended by adding the following as a new section:

A metropolitan government shall not expend funds for the purposes of assisting a person in obtaining a criminal abortion. This prohibition includes expending funds as part of a health benefit plan or for travel to another state for the purpose of obtaining an abortion that would be a criminal abortion if performed in this state. As used in this section, "criminal abortion" means an abortion that is prohibited by § 39-15-213 and does not include an abortion performed pursuant to § 39-15-213(c) or an abortion performed due to a pregnancy resulting from rape or incest.

SECTION 4. This act takes effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

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