

112TH CONGRESS
1ST SESSION

S. 1488

To prohibit the expenditure of Federal funds for abortions, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

AUGUST 2, 2011

Mr. CASEY introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Hyde Amendment
5 Codification Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. PROHIBITING FEDERALLY FUNDED ABORTIONS.**

7 Title 1 of the United States Code is amended by add-
8 ing at the end the following new chapter:

1 **“CHAPTER 4—PROHIBITING FEDERALLY**
2 **FUNDED ABORTIONS**

3 **“SEC. 301. PROHIBITION ON FUNDING FOR ABORTIONS.**

4 “(a) IN GENERAL.—No funds authorized or appro-
5 priated by Federal law, and none of the funds in any trust
6 fund to which funds are authorized or appropriated by
7 Federal law, shall be expended for any abortion.

8 “(b) HEALTH BENEFITS COVERAGE.—No funds au-
9 thorized or appropriated by Federal law, and none of the
10 funds in any trust fund to which funds are authorized or
11 appropriated by Federal law, shall be expended for health
12 benefits coverage that includes coverage of abortion.

13 **“SEC. 302. TREATMENT OF ABORTIONS RELATED TO RAPE,**
14 **INCEST, OR PRESERVING THE LIFE OF THE**
15 **MOTHER.**

16 “The limitations established in sections 301 shall not
17 apply to an abortion—

18 “(1) if the pregnancy is the result of an act of
19 rape or incest; or

20 “(2) in the case where a woman suffers from a
21 physical disorder, physical injury, or physical illness,
22 including a life-endangering physical condition
23 caused by or arising from the pregnancy itself, that
24 would, as certified by a physician, place the woman

1 in danger of death unless an abortion is per-
2 formed.”.

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