SENATE CHAMBER

STATE OF OKLAHOMA

DISPOSITION

FLOOR AMENDMENT

No. _____

COMMITTEE AMENDMENT

(Date)

I move to amend House Bill No. 1168, on Page 1, Line 15 through Page 4, Line 1, by removing Sections 1 and 2 in their entirety, by inserting the attached new Sections 1, 2, and 3, and by amending the title to conform.

Submitted by:

Senator Deevers

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SECTION 1. NEW LAW A new section of law not to be 1 2 codified in the Oklahoma Statutes reads as follows:

3 The purpose of this act is to protect the health and safety of 4 unborn children by prohibiting acts that cause their death.

SECTION 2. NEW LAW A new section of law to be codified 5 in the Oklahoma Statutes as Section 1-737.20 of Title 63, unless 6 there is created a duplication in numbering, reads as follows: 7

8 A. For the purposes of this section:

"Abortion" means the act of using or prescribing any 9 1. 10 instrument, medicine, drug, or any other substance, device, or means with the intent to terminate the life of an unborn child. 11 12 Abortion does not include the undertaking of life-saving procedures 13 to save the life of the mother when accompanied by reasonable steps to save the life of the unborn child, or the treatment of a 14 spontaneous miscarriage; 15

16 "Fertilization" means the fusion of a human spermatozoon 2. 17 with a human ovum; and

3. "Unborn child" means a human being from the moment of 18 fertilization until birth. 19

B. Notwithstanding any other provision of law, a person shall 20 not perform or procure an abortion as defined in subsection A of 21 22 this section.

C. 1. Any person who violates subsection B of this section 23 24 shall be liable for:

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- a. suspension or revocation of any professional license
 issued under Title 59 of the Oklahoma Statutes
 including, but not limited to, a medical license or
 pharmacist license, and
- criminal penalties as provided under Sections 701.9, 5 b. 715, and 722 of Title 21 of the Oklahoma Statutes for 6 7 the respective classifications of murder and 8 manslaughter. Enforcement of such penalties shall be 9 subject to the same presumptions, defenses, 10 justifications, laws of parties, immunities, clemencies, procedures, and other due process as 11 12 would apply to the respective classifications of 13 murder and manslaughter.

Nothing in this section shall preclude additional civil
 actions for damages resulting from the death of an unborn child, as
 provided under Oklahoma law.

17 SECTION 3. It being immediately necessary for the preservation 18 of the public peace, health or safety, an emergency is hereby 19 declared to exist, by reason whereof this act shall take effect and 20 be in full force from and after its passage and approval.

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