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Amendment Form

Subtitle of Senate Bill No. 417

TO MODIFY THE DEFINITION OF AN UNBORN CHILD IN THE CRIMINAL CODE AND IN WRONGFUL DEATH ACTIONS.

Amendment No. 2 to Senate Bill No. 417

Amend Senate Bill No. 417 as engrossed, H3/15/13 (version: 03/15/2013 11:41:28 AM):

Page 1, delete line 33 and substitute the following:

"conception until birth.

(ii) This subdivision (13)(B) does not apply to:

(a) An act that causes the death of an unborn child in utero if the act was committed during a legal abortion to which the woman consented, including an abortion performed to remove an ectopic pregnancy or other nonviable pregnancy when the embryo is not going to develop further;

(b) An act that is committed pursuant to a usual and customary standard of medical practice during diagnostic testing or therapeutic treatment; ~~or~~

(c) An act that is committed in the course of medical research, experimental medicine, or an act deemed necessary to save the life or preserve the health of the woman;

(d) Assisted reproduction technology activity, procedure, or treatment; or

(e) An act occurring before transfer to the uterus of the woman of an embryo created through in vitro fertilization.

(iii) Nothing in this subdivision (13)(B) shall be construed to allow the charging or conviction of a woman with any criminal offense in the death of her own unborn child in utero;"



The Amendment was read _____

By: Representative Steel

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