

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 61

By Fincher

A RESOLUTION to propose an amendment to Article I, of the
Constitution of Tennessee, relative to abortion.

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SIXTH GENERAL
ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that a majority
of all the members of each house concurring, as shown by the yeas and nays entered on their
journals, that it is proposed that Article I, of the Constitution of Tennessee be amended by
adding the following language as a new, appropriately designated section:

Nothing in this Constitution secures or protects a right to abortion or requires the
funding of an abortion, except in cases involving rape, incest or health of the mother.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the foregoing amendment be referred to the One
Hundred Seventh General Assembly and that this resolution proposing such amendment be
published by the Secretary of State in accordance with Article XI, Section 3, of the Constitution
of Tennessee.

BI IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that the Clerk of the House is directed to deliver a copy of
this resolution to the Secretary of State.