

Amendment No. 6 to HB0977

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AMEND Senate Bill No. 1222

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by deleting the amendatory language in subdivision (f)(1) in SECTION 1 and substituting instead the following:

(1)

(A) For purposes of subsections (a), (b), (c), (d), and (e), a medical emergency is a condition that, on the basis of the physician's good faith medical judgment, so complicates a medical condition of a pregnant woman as to necessitate an immediate abortion of her pregnancy to avert her death or for which a delay will create serious risk of substantial and irreversible impairment of major bodily function.

(B) For purposes of subsection (d), a medical emergency also includes a condition that, on the basis of the physician's good faith medical judgment, so complicates a mental condition of a pregnant woman as to necessitate a waiver of the waiting period or for which a delay will create serious risk of substantial psychological harm.