

# House Amendment 8330

## Amendment Text

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1 1 Amend [House File 2229](#) as follows:  
1 2 #1. Page 1, by striking lines 13 and 14.  
1 3 #2. By striking page 1, line 32 through page 5,  
1 4 line 9 and inserting the following:  
1 5 "Except in the case of a medical emergency, an  
1 6 abortion shall not be performed in this state without  
1 7 the voluntary and informed consent of the patient upon  
1 8 whom the abortion is to be performed."  
1 9 #3. Page 5, line 17, by striking the word "twenty-  
1 10 four-hour".  
1 11 #4. By striking page 5, line 21 through page 9,  
1 12 line 33, and inserting the following:  
1 13 "Sec. \_\_\_\_ NEW SECTION. 146A.5A CRIMINAL  
1 14 PENALTIES.  
1 15 1. A person who knowingly or recklessly performs  
1 16 or attempt to perform an abortion in violation of this  
1 17 chapter is guilty of a serious misdemeanor.  
1 18 2. A penalty shall not be assessed under this  
1 19 chapter against a patient upon whom an abortion is  
1 20 performed or attempted to be performed.  
1 21 Sec. \_\_\_\_ NEW SECTION. 146A.5B PROTECTION OF  
1 22 PRIVACY IN COURT PROCEEDINGS PENALTY.  
1 23 1. In every criminal proceeding brought pursuant  
1 24 to this chapter, the court proceedings shall be  
1 25 conducted in a manner which protects the  
1 26 confidentiality of the patient, and all court  
1 27 documents pertaining to the proceedings shall remain  
1 28 confidential and shall be sealed. The court shall  
1 29 direct the exclusion of individuals from courtrooms or  
1 30 hearing rooms to the extent necessary to safeguard the  
1 31 patient's identity from public disclosure.  
1 32 2. This section shall not be construed to conceal  
1 33 the identity of witnesses from the defendant.  
1 34 3. A person who knowingly violates the  
1 35 confidentiality requirements of this section relating  
1 36 to court proceedings and documents is guilty of a  
1 37 serious misdemeanor."  
1 38 #5. Title page, line 2, by striking the words  
1 39 "civil remedies and".  
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1 43 [WISE](#) of Lee  
1 44 [HF 2229.5](#)10 78  
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