

**707C.3 Definitions.**

As used in [this chapter](#), unless the context otherwise requires:

1. “*Human reproductive cloning*” means human asexual reproduction, using somatic cell nuclear transfer, for implantation or attempted implantation into a woman’s uterus or substitute for a woman’s uterus. “*Human reproductive cloning*” does not include somatic cell nuclear transfer performed for the purpose of creating embryonic stem cells.
2. “*Human somatic cell*” means a diploid cell having a complete set of chromosomes obtained or derived from a living or deceased human body at any stage of development.
3. “*Oocyte*” means a human ovum.
4. “*Somatic cell nuclear transfer*” means a technique in which the nucleus of a human somatic cell is injected or transplanted into a fertilized or unfertilized oocyte from which the nucleus has been removed.

[2007 Acts, ch 6, §3](#)