



General Assembly

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Proposed Bill No. 5920

LCO No. 2940



Referred to Committee on PUBLIC HEALTH

Introduced by:

REP. BLUMENTHAL, 147th Dist.

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AN ACT PREVENTING MEDICAL MALPRACTICE INSURERS AND HEALTH CARE PROVIDER LICENSING ENTITIES FROM TAKING ANY ADVERSE ACTION AGAINST A MEDICAL PROVIDER DUE TO AN ADVERSE ACTION TAKEN BY ANOTHER STATE AS A RESULT OF SUCH PROVIDER'S INVOLVEMENT IN THE TERMINATION OF A PREGNANCY.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 That the general statutes be amended to prevent medical malpractice
- 2 insurers and any entity involved in the licensing of health care providers
- 3 in the state from taking any adverse action against a health care provider
- 4 based solely on such provider providing, authorizing, recommending,
- 5 aiding, assisting, referring for, or otherwise participating in an abortion
- 6 or any other health care service provided for the purpose of the abortion,
- 7 so long as the abortion was otherwise performed in accordance with the
- 8 laws of this state, regardless of whether the patient was a resident of this
- 9 state or another state.

Statement of Purpose:

To protect health care providers in the state from any adverse actions taken by another state as a result of a provider's involvement in the termination of a pregnancy.