

General Assembly

January Session, 2025

Proposed Bill No. 5475



Referred to Committee on JUDICIARY

Introduced by: REP. KENNEDY, 119th Dist.

AN ACT CONCERNING FERTILITY FRAUD BY PHYSICIANS.

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

1 That the general statutes be amended to provide that: (1) No 2 physician shall knowingly use the physician's own sperm to inseminate 3 a patient without the patient's consent; and (2) any person harmed by a 4 physician knowingly using his own sperm to inseminate a patient 5 without the patient's consent may bring an action against such physician 6 in the Superior Court to recover the actual damages sustained by such 7 person, together with the cost of the suit, including a reasonable 8 attorney's fee.

Statement of Purpose:

To protect patients undergoing fertility treatments from physician misconduct.