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To: Subst. House Bill No. **7213**

File No. 688

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"AN ACT CONCERNING ACCESS TO REPRODUCTIVE HEALTH CARE."

1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
2 internal references accordingly:

3 "Sec. 501. Section 19a-602 of the general statutes is repealed and the
4 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective from passage*):

5 (a) The decision to terminate a pregnancy prior to the viability of the
6 fetus shall be solely that of the patient in consultation with the patient's
7 physician or, pursuant to the provisions of subsection (d) of this section,
8 the patient's advanced practice registered nurse, nurse-midwife or
9 physician assistant.

10 (b) No abortion may be performed upon a patient after viability of
11 the fetus except when necessary to preserve the life or health of the
12 patient.

13 (c) A physician licensed pursuant to chapter 370 may perform an
14 abortion, as defined in section 19a-912.

15 (d) An advanced practice registered nurse licensed pursuant to
16 chapter 378, a nurse-midwife licensed pursuant to chapter 377 and a
17 physician assistant licensed pursuant to chapter 370 may perform
18 medication and aspiration abortions under and in accordance with said
19 chapters.

20 (e) Nothing in this section shall be construed to require a licensed
21 physician, advanced practice registered nurse, nurse-midwife or
22 physician assistant to participate in the performance of an abortion that
23 violates his or her religious beliefs, except when necessary to preserve
24 the life or health of the patient."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	<i>from passage</i>	19a-602