

HOUSE FLOOR AMENDMENT EXPLANATION



Bill Number: **SB 1457**

Cobb Floor Amendment

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1. Changes the penalty from a class 3 felony to a class 6 felony.
 2. States that restrictions on abortions based on a child's genetic abnormality does not include a severe fetal abnormality.

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COBB SUBSTITUTE FLOOR AMENDMENT
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES AMENDMENTS TO S.B. 1457

I move the following SUBSTITUTE amendment to the JUDICIARY Committee Amendment to
SENATE BILL 1457 (Reference to Senate engrossed bill)

1 Page 1, line 22, strike "3" insert "6"

2 Page 2, line 18, after the second quotation mark insert ":

3 (a)"

4 Between lines 21 and 22, insert:

5 "(b) DOES NOT INCLUDE A SEVERE FETAL ABNORMALITY. FOR THE PURPOSES
6 OF THIS SUBDIVISION, "SEVERE FETAL ABNORMALITY" MEANS A LIFE-THREATENING
7 PHYSICAL CONDITION THAT, IN REASONABLE MEDICAL JUDGMENT, REGARDLESS OF THE
8 PROVISION OF LIFE-SAVING MEDICAL TREATMENT, IS INCOMPATIBLE WITH LIFE."

9 Line 28, strike "prohibited services" insert "Public educational institution
10 facility; prohibition"

11 Line 30, strike "DO ANY OF THE FOLLOWING:"

12 Line 31, strike "1."

13 Strike lines 33 through 41

14 Reletter to conform

15 Page 3, strike lines 9 through 44

16 Renumber to conform

- 1 Page 4, line 3, strike "for" insert "prohibited:" strike the comma insert
- 2 "research involving fetal remains from"; after "abortion" insert a
- 3 semicolon
- 4 Line 4, strike "or"; strike "prohibition:"
- 5 Line 18, after "INVOLVES" insert "FETAL REMAINS FROM AN"; strike the comma
- 6 insert "OR"
- 7 Amend title to conform

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