

Senate Engrossed House Bill

~~state agencies; cash payment; acceptance~~
(now: enforcement prohibition; vaccinations; requirements)

State of Arizona
House of Representatives
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HOUSE BILL 2371

AN ACT

REPEALING TITLE 36, CHAPTER 6, ARTICLE 4.2, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES;
AMENDING TITLE 36, CHAPTER 6, ARIZONA REVISED STATUTES, BY ADDING A NEW
ARTICLE 4.2; RELATING TO PUBLIC HEALTH.

(TEXT OF BILL BEGINS ON NEXT PAGE)

1 Be it enacted by the Legislature of the State of Arizona:

2 Section 1. Repeal

3 Title 36, chapter 6, article 4.2, Arizona Revised Statutes, is
4 repealed.

5 Sec. 2. Title 36, chapter 6, Arizona Revised Statutes, is amended
6 by adding a new article 4.2, to read:

7 ARTICLE 4.2. PUBLIC HEALTH MANDATES

8 36-681. Vaccinations; enforcement prohibition; violation;
9 classification; definition

10 A. ANY GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY MAY NOT REQUIRE A PERSON UNDER EIGHTEEN
11 YEARS OF AGE TO RECEIVE A VACCINATION FOR COVID-19 OR ANY VARIANT OF
12 COVID-19 WITHOUT THE CONSENT OF A PARENT OR GUARDIAN.

13 B. A PERSON WHO VIOLATES THIS SECTION IS GUILTY OF A CLASS 1
14 MISDEMEANOR.

15 C. THE COUNTY ATTORNEY MAY PROSECUTE ANY VIOLATION OF THIS SECTION.

16 D. FOR THE PURPOSES OF THIS SECTION, "GOVERNMENTAL ENTITY" MEANS
17 THIS STATE OR ANY POLITICAL SUBDIVISION OF THIS STATE THAT RECEIVES AND
18 USES STATE TAX REVENUES.

19 Sec. 3. Short title

20 This act may be cited as the "Health Care Freedom Act".