



ARIZONA HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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HB 2811: unlawful abortion medication; offense

Sponsor: Representative Parker, LD 16

House Engrossed

Overview

Makes the manufacturing, distribution, prescribing or transferring of an abortion medication intended to cause an abortion a class 3 felony.

History

An *abortion-inducing drug* may only be provided by a qualified physician. A manufacturer, supplier, physician or any other person is prohibited from providing an *abortion-inducing drug* via courier, delivery or mail service.

Abortion-inducing drug means medicine or drug or any other substance used for a medication abortion ([A.R.S. § 36-2160](#)).

Provisions

1. States it is unlawful for a person or entity to manufacture, distribute, prescribe, sell or transfer an abortion medication that is intended to cause an abortion. (Sec. 1)
2. Establishes a penalty of a class 3 felony for a violation of the above provision. (Sec. 1)
3. Exempts from a class 3 felony penalty the following:
 - a) The mother of the child; and
 - b) The sale, use or administering of any contraceptive agent before conception or before conception can be confirmed through conventional medical testing. (Sec. 1)
4. Defines *abortion medication*. (Sec. 1)
5. Instructs legislative council staff to prepare conforming legislation. (Sec. 2)

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