

Top Facts to Know S.1209 (The Infanticide Bill) in Massachusetts

This bill completely overhauls the abortion code contained in the Massachusetts General Laws, removing abortion from all regulation, legalizes infanticide and eliminates the need for a minor (no matter how young) to interact with any adult before stepping inside an abortion facility to receive an abortion.

- S.1209 legalizes infanticide (killing) a child born alive on the abortion table.
- S.1209 removes adult notification or supervision for a pregnant 13-year-old walking into an abortion facility: no adult (except perhaps an adult assaulter) need be involved—not even a judge, as provided for under the current “judicial bypass” option.
- S.1209 expands taxpayer funding of abortion.
- S.1209 eliminates the requirement that abortions after the first trimester be performed in hospitals.
- S.1209 eliminates any criminal penalty, even for a botched abortion. Abortions performed by a non-physician, performed on a victim of sex trafficking, coerced, sex-selective, etc. - no abortion could be performed in Massachusetts and be prosecuted by state law enforcement.
- S.1209 makes outlawing any abortion procedure, even the horrendous partial-birth abortion, impossible in Massachusetts.
- S.1209 eliminates every single mention of another human being involved (the child).
- S.1209 eliminates any mention of “woman” [this means even Roe v. Wade’s statement of a possible interest in protecting prenatal human life and the state’s interest in regulating later-term abortions for the sake of the health and safety of women is wiped out]

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