STATEMENT OF PURPOSE

RS26660

It is the purpose of this legislation to update the Idaho Partial-Birth Abortion ban so it is consistent with the Federal law that bans the performance of a partial-birth abortion except when necessary to the save a mother's life. This law was upheld by the United States Supreme court in Gonzales v. Carhart, 550 U.S. 124 (2007).

FISCAL NOTE

There is no anticipated fiscal impact to the general fund because this legislation aligns Idaho code to federal law and does not require expenditure of government funds.

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