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## DIGEST

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HB 273 Original

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Hoffmann

**Abstract:** Provides an exception to the requirement for post-abortion interment or cremation of human remains.

Present law requires each physician who performs or induces an abortion which does not result in a live birth to insure that the remains of the child are disposed of by interment or cremation.

Proposed law provides an exception to present law in cases of abortions induced with medications when the evacuation of any human remains occurs at a later time, neither in the presence of the inducing physician nor at the facility in which the physician administered the inducing medications.

Effective upon signature of governor or lapse of time for gubernatorial action.

(Amends R.S. 40:1061.25(A))