SENATE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS

2019 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by Senate Committee on Judiciary C to Original Senate Bill No. 184 by Senator Milkovich

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

- 2 On page 1, line 8, delete "<u>or (3)</u>" and insert "<u>, (3), or (4)</u>"
- 3 AMENDMENT NO. 2
- 4 On page 1, line 12, delete "<u>or (3)</u>" and insert "<u>, (3), or (4)</u>"
- 5 AMENDMENT NO. 3
- 6 On page 2, between lines 24 and 25, insert the following:

7"(4) For purposes of this Section, "abortion" shall not include an8abortion performed when the pregnancy is diagnosed as medically futile."

9 AMENDMENT NO. 4

10 On page 3, between lines 3 and 4, insert the following:

11"(4) "Medically futile" means that, in reasonable medical judgment, the12unborn child has a profound and irremediable congenital or chromosomal13anomaly that is incompatible with sustaining life after birth. This diagnosis14shall be a medical judgment certified in the pregnant woman's medical record15by a reasonably prudent physician who is knowledgeable about the case and the16treatment possibilities with respect to the medical conditions involved."

- 17 AMENDMENT NO. 5
- 18 On page 3, delete lines 23 through 27 and insert the following:

"Section 2. This Act shall become effective upon a final decision of the United
States Court of Appeals for the Fifth Circuit upholding the Act that originated as Senate Bill
2116 of the 2019 Regular Session of the Mississippi Legislature, which decision would
thereby provide the authority for a state within the jurisdiction of that court of appeals to
restrict abortion as provided in this Act."