

SENATE FLOOR AMENDMENTS

Amendments proposed by Senator Jackson to Reengrossed House Bill No. 25 by Representative Crowe

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, line 3 after "(h)" insert "and (C)(5) and (6)"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, line 8 after "(h)" insert "and (C)(5) and (6)"

5 AMENDMENT NO. 3

6 On page 3, after line 27 insert the following:

7 "(5) Prior to the distribution of the updated printed materials provided for in Paragraph (C)
8 (1) of this Subsection, the Department of Health and Hospitals shall submit the updated
9 printed materials to the Senate Committee on Health and Welfare and the House of
10 Representatives Committee on Health and Welfare for legislative oversight review pursuant
11 to the Administrative Procedure Act.

12 (6)(a) The Woman's Right to Know Advisory Committee, hereinafter "advisory committee,"
13 is hereby created and shall be composed of the following members:

14 (i) The secretary of the Department of Health and Hospitals or his designee.

15 (ii) A representative from Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center at New
16 Orleans appointed by its chancellor.

17 (iii) A representative from Louisiana State University Health Sciences Center at Shreveport
18 appointed by its chancellor.

19 (iv) A representative from Tulane University Health Sciences Center appointed by its
20 chancellor.

21 (v) The president of the Women's Counseling Center of North Louisiana, Inc., or his
22 designee.

23 (vi) The director of Planned Parenthood of Louisiana and the Mississippi Delta, Inc., or his
24 designee.

25 (vii) The director of the Louisiana Maternal and Child Health Coalition, or his designee.

26 (viii) A representative of an abortion alternative group from the geographic area south of
27 Alexandria, Louisiana.

28 (b) One member shall be an anaesthesia specialist, one member shall be an obstetrics and
29 gynecology specialist, and one member shall be a medical ethics specialist.

30 (c) The duties and purpose of the advisory committee shall be to review and approve the
31 information related to the unborn child at the various gestational ages and make
32 recommendations to the Department of Health and Hospitals regarding the content of the
33 materials published by the department. Such recommendations shall be objective,
34 nonjudgmental, and designed to convey only accurate scientific information about the
35 unborn child at the various gestational ages. All recommendations shall be made to the
36 Department of Health and Hospitals by December thirty-first of each year.

37 (d) The advisory committee shall elect a chairman, vice chairman, and secretary at its first
38 meeting.

39 (e) The advisory committee shall meet at least twice each year or more frequently as
40 necessary. Meetings shall be called by the chairman; however, a majority of the members
41 of the advisory committee may call a meeting.

42 (f) Four members of the advisory committee shall constitute a quorum.

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