

New law provides for legislative findings.

New law provides for the definition of "abortion".

New law provides that no health care plan required to be established in this state through an exchange pursuant to federal health reform legislation enacted by the 111th Congress shall offer coverage for abortion services.

New law shall not be construed to recognize any independent right to abortion under the constitution or laws of this state.

New law shall not be construed to recognize the constitutional validity of the Patient Protection and Affordable Care Act (federal health care reform act) of 2010.

New law provides that its provisions shall be severable.

Effective upon signature of governor (July 2, 2010).

(Adds R.S. 22:1016)