



Open Government Impact Statement

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Measure: HB 3248

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SUMMARY

Digest: The Act places limits and duties on health care providers who perform abortions. (Flesch Readability Score: 63.4).

Prohibits an abortion unless a health care provider first determines the probable gestational age of the unborn child, except in the case of a medical emergency. Defines "abortion" and "health care provider." Prohibits the abortion of an unborn child with a probable gestational age of 15 or more weeks, except in the case of a medical emergency, rape or incest. Requires that an abortion of an unborn child with probable gestational age of 15 or more weeks be performed or induced in specified facilities and with specific safeguards in place. Allows specified persons to bring an action against a health care provider for violations. Requires a health care provider who performs or induces, or attempts to perform or induce, an abortion to file a report with the Oregon Health Authority. Requires the authority to publish annually statistics relating to abortion. Allows specified persons to bring a cause of action for actual and punitive damages and injunctive relief against a health care provider for violations.

Takes effect on the 91st day following adjournment sine die.

OPEN GOVERNMENT IMPACT

Legislative Counsel has not adopted standards for drafting measures that establish exemptions from disclosure of public records.

This measure exempts from public disclosure the report that is required to be filed with the Oregon Health Authority by a health care provider who performs or induces, or attempts to perform or induce, an abortion.

If those public records that could be subject to public disclosure were instead subject to mandatory disclosure under public records law, the public could gain information contained in the report required to be filed by a health care provider who performs or induces, or attempts to perform or induce, an abortion.