

to prevent these girls from getting into this trouble in the first place and so the statistical data that is gained by this is beneficial and necessary, both for maternal health protection and for the education and protection of all young people and older people in the state. The penalty section is absolutely necessary if we are going to have any enforcement of this section and so I urge you absolutely not to adopt this amendment, because even though it is only a two liner, it has the effect of eliminating the whole procedure on reporting and I repeat, the Supreme Court said A-Okay on this.

PRESIDENT: Senator Barnett.

SENATOR BARNETT: Mr. President, members of the Legislature, I would like to give you a little word of what a doctor told me the other day. He says, with the reporting procedures that are going back into the abortion statutes or that are there, to enforce them, you are going to make a bunch of "liars" out of the people involved with all the reporting situations that you have got. I think that this is just another one of the reporting procedures that he was talking about. I would like to see this body seriously consider removing the penalty section for this. If we are going to cause the people that are involved to start lying about this procedure, I would like to see us adopt this amendment to it. Senator Chambers, and with the time getting as it is, I would like to call for the question.

PRESIDENT: Do I see five seconds? I do. The question is, shall debate now cease? Record your vote. Have you voted? Record.

CLERK: 14 ayes, 18 nays.

PRESIDENT: Senator Marsh.

SENATOR MARSH: Mr. President and members of the Legislature, I mentioned on the legislative floor that we had in two instances taken language out of statute this year dealing with the Department of Health Vital Statistics Bureau and here we go again. The entire section 59 should not be in statute. The Department of Health wants this information. They can design their forms without our writing in detail what it should say. They may even want some additional areas of interest. The United States Department of Public Health also wants this information. I think we are making a mistake to again start cluttering up the statutes with telling a department how their forms should be arranged. We are taking the flexibility away from the department which will have the process in their area. Why do you want to put it in statute? Are you afraid they won't have interest in all the things you are putting in or do we on this legislative floor assume we know more than the State Department of Health and the United States Public Health Service?

PRESIDENT: Senator Cullan.

SENATOR CULLAN: Mr. Chairman and members of the Legislature, I would just like to say I don't care how many doctors lie. They should conform with the laws as they are written and