

AMENDMENTS TO LB 675

(Amendments to Standing Committee amendments, AM994)

Introduced by Haar, 21.

1 1. Insert the following new sections:

2 Section 1. Section 28-325, Reissue Revised Statutes of
3 Nebraska, is amended to read:

4 28-325 The Legislature hereby finds and declares:

5 (1) That the following provisions were motivated by
6 the legislative intrusion of the United States Supreme Court by
7 virtue of its decision removing the protection afforded the unborn.
8 Sections 28-325 to 28-345 and section 8 of this act are in no way
9 to be construed as legislatively encouraging abortions at any stage
10 of unborn human development, but are rather an expression of the
11 will of the people of the State of Nebraska and the members of the
12 Legislature to provide protection for the life of the unborn child
13 whenever possible;

14 (2) That the members of the Legislature expressly deplore
15 the destruction of the unborn human lives which has and will occur
16 in Nebraska as a consequence of the United States Supreme Court's
17 decision on abortion of January 22, 1973;

18 (3) That it is in the interest of the people of the State
19 of Nebraska that every precaution be taken to insure the protection
20 of every viable unborn child being aborted, and every precaution
21 be taken to provide life-supportive procedures to insure the unborn
22 child its continued life after its abortion;

1 (4) That currently this state is prevented from providing
2 adequate legal remedies to protect the life, health, and welfare of
3 pregnant women and unborn human life; and

4 (5) That it is in the interest of the people of the
5 State of Nebraska to maintain accurate statistical data to aid in
6 providing proper maternal health regulations and education.

7 Sec. 7. Section 28-340, Reissue Revised Statutes of
8 Nebraska, is amended to read:

9 28-340 Any person whose employment or position has been
10 in any way altered, impaired, or terminated in violation of
11 sections 28-325 to 28-345 and section 8 of this act may sue
12 in the district court for all consequential damages, lost wages,
13 reasonable attorney's fees incurred, and the cost of litigation.

14 Sec. 8. If consent to an abortion is withdrawn by a woman
15 during the abortion, the person or persons performing the abortion
16 shall be immune from civil liability for damages occurring during
17 the abortion that are proximately related to the abortion, unless
18 such damages were caused by the willful or wanton act or omission
19 of the person or persons performing the abortion.

20 2. Renumber the remaining sections and correct the
21 repealer accordingly.