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LEGISLATIVE BILL 110

Introduced by Hughes, 24.

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Committee:

- 1 A BILL FOR AN ACT relating to public health and welfare; to provide
- 2 requirements for pelvic examinations as prescribed.
- 3 Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

1 **Section 1.** (1) A health care provider shall not perform a pelvic
2 examination on a patient who is anesthetized or unconscious in a hospital
3 or medical clinic without prior written consent unless:

4 (a) An individual authorized to make health care decisions for the
5 patient has given written consent for the examination;

6 (b) The examination is necessary for emergency diagnostic or
7 emergency treatment purposes; or

8 (c) A court orders the performance of the examination for the
9 collection of evidence.

10 (2) A health care provider who violates subsection (1) of this
11 section is subject to discipline under the Uniform Credentialing Act.

12 (3) If a pelvic examination is performed on an unconscious or
13 anesthetized patient, the patient shall be notified in writing prior to
14 discharge of such patient from the hospital or medical clinic.