

Amendment No. (for drafter's use only)

CHAMBER ACTION

Senate

House

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1 Representative Murman offered the following:

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3 **Amendment (with title amendment)**

4 Remove everything after the resolving clause and insert:

5 That the creation of Section 22 of Article X of the State
6 Constitution set forth below is agreed to and shall be submitted
7 to the electors of Florida for approval or rejection at the
8 general election to be held in November 2004:

9 ARTICLE X

10 MISCELLANEOUS

11 SECTION 22. Parental notification of an abortion on a
12 minor.--The legislature shall not limit or deny the reproductive
13 and privacy rights guaranteed to minors under the United States
14 Constitution as interpreted by the United States Supreme Court.
15 Notwithstanding the minor's right of privacy provided in Section
16 23 of Article I, the legislature may by general law require
17 notification of a parent or guardian of a minor prior to the

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18 performance of an abortion on the minor. This right to
19 notification shall not apply to minors emancipated by general
20 law.

21 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that the title and substance of the
22 amendment proposed herein shall appear on the ballot as follows:

23 PARENTAL NOTIFICATION OF ABORTION ON A MINOR

24 Proposes the creation of Section 22 of Article X of the
25 State Constitution to provide that the Legislature may,
26 notwithstanding the state constitutional right of privacy, enact
27 legislation requiring notification of a parent or guardian of a
28 minor prior to the performance of an abortion on the minor. The
29 amendment provides that the Legislature shall not limit or deny
30 the reproductive and privacy rights guaranteed to minors under
31 the United States Constitution as interpreted by the United
32 States Supreme Court. The amendment provides that the right to
33 notification shall not apply to minors emancipated by general
34 law.

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36 ===== T I T L E A M E N D M E N T =====

37 Remove the entire title and insert:

38 House Joint Resolution

39 A joint resolution proposing the creation of Section 22 of
40 Article X of the State Constitution to provide for
41 parental notification of an abortion on a minor.