

Amendment No. 2

COMMITTEE/SUBCOMMITTEE ACTION

ADOPTED \_\_\_\_\_ (Y/N)  
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FAILED TO ADOPT \_\_\_\_\_ (Y/N)  
WITHDRAWN \_\_\_\_\_ (Y/N)  
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1 Committee/Subcommittee hearing bill: Judiciary Committee  
2 Representative Kerner offered the following:

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4 **Amendment (with directory amendment)**

5 Remove line 22 and insert:

6 (a) Except in the case of a medical emergency or as  
7 provided in paragraph (b), consent to

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9 Between lines 94 and 95, insert:

10 (b) A pregnant woman seeking an abortion may decide not to  
11 undergo the 24-hour delay required under paragraph (a).

12 1. In the event that a patient exercises her right to  
13 waive the 24-hour delay, the patient's health care provider is  
14 not subject to any criminal, civil, or administrative penalty  
15 for failure to secure consent 24 hours before the procedure. The  
16 patient's signature noting that she has exercised her right to

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17 waive certain requirements is sufficient proof of provider  
18 compliance.

19 2. This paragraph does not alter the health care  
20 provider's duty to obtain voluntary and informed consent as  
21 otherwise required by this subsection.

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24 **D I R E C T O R Y A M E N D M E N T**

25 Remove lines 14-15 and insert:

26 Section 1. Paragraph (a) of subsection (3) of section  
27 390.0111, Florida Statutes, is amended, paragraphs (b) and (c)  
28 of subsection (3) are redesignated as paragraphs (c) and (d),  
29 respectively, and a new paragraph (b) is added to that  
30 subsection, to read: