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LEGISLATIVE ACTION

Senate

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House

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Senator Book moved the following:

**Senate Amendment (with directory and title amendments)**

Between lines 27 and 28

insert:

(b) If an infant is born alive during or immediately after an attempted abortion, any health care practitioner present at the time shall humanely exercise the same degree of professional skill, care, and diligence to preserve the life and health of the infant as a reasonably diligent and conscientious health care practitioner would render to an infant born alive at the same gestational age in the course of natural birth. If the



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12 physician performing the procedure determines that, in his or  
13 her reasonable medical judgment, it is unlikely that the infant  
14 born alive will survive due to his or her medical condition, the  
15 physician, with the informed consent and signature of the  
16 pregnant mother, may issue a physician's order not to  
17 resuscitate the infant.

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19 ===== D I R E C T O R Y C L A U S E A M E N D M E N T =====

20 And the directory clause is amended as follows:

21 Delete lines 24 - 25

22 and insert:

23 Section 1. Paragraphs (b) and (e) of subsection (12) of  
24 section 390.0111, Florida Statutes, are amended to read:

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

27 And the title is amended as follows:

28 Delete line 3

29 and insert:

30 F.S.; authorizing a physician to issue an order not to  
31 resuscitate an infant born alive under certain  
32 circumstances; reclassifying the criminal offense for  
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