

Dallas Erickson Testimony
House Bill 231
House Judiciary Committee
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Madam Chair and Members of the Committee,

My name is Dallas Erickson and I represent my family and Montana Family Coalition. We ask you to please support this bill.

Section 2 says it all, in my opinion. It defines, and correctly so, "unborn child" as a human who is conceived but not yet born.

Since we were all a human not yet born at one time in our life there is no question that we need to protect that little human from those who would want to destroy it. God meant for the womb to be a safe haven for that little human during those first critical months of development.

We should reflect that will in our law.

Recent discoveries of the presence of pain and recent technology that indicates what a unborn human does in the womb indicates that they do feel and they even smile.

This bill is important and would protect or at least punish those who attempt to destroy or harm that little human that we all used to be.

Please vote to pass this bill.

Thank you.

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