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HB 2416

certificates of stillbirth

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HB 2416 establishes a certificate for births resulting in stillbirth.

History

In 1999, there were 600 fetal deaths with a gestation period of 20 completed weeks or more in Arizona. Current law requires a fetal death certificate for each fetal death meeting the 20-week requirement to be filed with the designated registrar. HB 2416 would require DHS to also establish a certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth for each fetal death meeting the same time frame.

Provisions

- Requires the State Registrar of Vital Statistics (DHS) to establish a certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth for each fetal death occurring after 20 completed weeks of gestation. Requires the State Registrar of Vital Statistics to provide a certificate of birth resulting in stillbirth upon request of the parent or parents
- Provides for the person preparing the certificate to leave blank any references to the stillborn child's name if the parents choose. Permits the parent or parents to provide a name for the stillborn child.
- Allows for this section to be cited as the *Missing Angels Act*.
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Lane, Valencia

From: McHugh, Shona
Sent: Thursday, February 10, 2005 1:43 PM
To: Lane, Valencia
Subject: RE: SB 319 - Public financing for Supreme Court candidates

Hi Valencia,

No - the same amendment does not have to be made for corp tax (Section 29) as well. We considered it, but decided not to do that amendment for several reasons - i.e. for corp tax purposes, it would involve an add-back of a deduction reported on the federal return as federal net income is used as the starting point for calculating the Montana taxable income, and that would involve more lines on the form, etc. - it would not be worth it to capture a \$50 add-back. However, for individual income tax, it is much cleaner as the amendment would just involve requiring the taxpayer to not make the deduction for state purposes - they are not tied to federal net income.

Please feel free to contact me if you should have any questions.

Thanks! Shona

-----Original Message-----

From: Lane, Valencia
Sent: Thursday, February 10, 2005 1:30 PM
To: McHugh, Shona
Subject: RE: SB 319 - Public financing for Supreme Court candidates

Shona, I'm putting these amendments into our form. Does the new subsection (3) (your amendment # 4), which is going into New Section 27 of the bill need to be repeated and placed into New Section 29 of the bill, as well? Please let me know right away. Valencia

-----Original Message-----

From: McHugh, Shona
Sent: Tuesday, February 08, 2005 7:05 AM
To: Lane, Valencia
Cc: Ohler, Dave; McKeon, Jim
Subject: SB 319 - Public financing for Supreme Court candidates

Hi Valencia,

Please find attached some amendments for SB 319 sponsored by Senator Ellingson. It will be heard by the Senate Judiciary committee this morning.

<< File: SB 319.doc >>

We have spoken with Senator Ellingson regarding these amendments, which pertain to the administration of the voluntary checkoff/credit on the income tax returns, and he concurred with the changes. Jim McKeon will be an informational witness for the DOR at the hearing this morning.

Please send a copy of the finalized amendments to the attention of Dave Ohler, Laurie Logan and myself.

Thank you for your assistance!

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