

(C) THE HOSPITAL ABORTION REVIEW AUTHORITY SHALL KEEP WRITTEN RECORDS OF ALL REQUESTS FOR AUTHORIZATION AND ITS ACTION THEREON. AN ANNUAL REPORT OF THE THERAPEUTIC ABORTIONS PERFORMED IN MARYLAND SHALL BE MADE BY THE DIRECTOR OF THE HOSPITAL AND ITS GOVERNING BOARD. SUCH REPORTS SHALL INCLUDE THE NUMBER OF REQUESTS, AUTHORIZATIONS AND PERFORMANCES, THE GROUNDS UPON WHICH SUCH AUTHORIZATIONS WERE GRANTED, AND THE PROCEDURES EMPLOYED TO CAUSE THE ABORTIONS AND SUCH REPORTS SHALL BE FORWARDED TO THE JOINT COMMISSION ON ACCREDITATION OF HOSPITALS AND THE STATE BOARD OF HEALTH AND MENTAL HYGIENE FOR THE PURPOSE OF INSURING THAT ADEQUATE AND PROPER PROCEDURES ARE BEING FOLLOWED IN ACCREDITED HOSPITALS. SUCH INFORMATION, WHICH IS NOT SUBJECT TO THE PHYSICIAN-PATIENT PRIVILEGE, MAY BE MADE AVAILABLE TO THE PUBLIC. SAID REPORTS SHALL NOT INCLUDE THE NAMES OF THE PATIENTS ABORTED.

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(A) NO PERSON SHALL BE REQUIRED TO PERFORM OR PARTICIPATE IN MEDICAL PROCEDURES WHICH RESULT IN THE TERMINATION OF PREGNANCY; AND THE REFUSAL OF ANY PERSON TO PERFORM OR PARTICIPATE IN THESE MEDICAL PROCEDURES SHALL NOT BE A BASIS FOR CIVIL LIABILITY TO ANY PERSON NOR A BASIS FOR ANY DISCIPLINARY OR ANY OTHER RECRIMINATORY ACTION AGAINST HIM.

(B) NO HOSPITAL, HOSPITAL DIRECTOR OR GOVERNING BOARD SHALL BE REQUIRED TO PERMIT THE TERMINATION OF HUMAN PREGNANCIES WITHIN ITS INSTITUTION AND THE REFUSAL TO PERMIT SUCH PROCEDURES SHALL NOT BE GROUNDS FOR CIVIL LIABILITY TO ANY PERSON NOR A BASIS FOR ANY DISCIPLINARY OR OTHER RECRIMINATORY ACTION AGAINST IT BY THE STATE OR ANY PERSON.

(C) THE REFUSAL OF ANY PERSON TO SUBMIT TO AN ABORTION OR TO GIVE CONSENT THEREFOR SHALL NOT BE GROUNDS FOR LOSS OF ANY PRIVILEGES OR IMMUNITIES TO WHICH SUCH PERSON WOULD OTHERWISE BE ENTITLED NOR SHALL SUBMISSION TO AN ABORTION OR THE GRANTING OF CONSENT THEREFOR BE A CONDITION PRECEDENT TO THE RECEIPT OF ANY PUBLIC BENEFITS.

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- (A) A PERSON IS GUILTY OF A MISDEMEANOR IF HE
- (1) SELLS OR GIVES, OR CAUSES TO BE SOLD OR GIVEN, ANY DRUG, MEDICINE, PREPARATION, INSTRUMENT, OR DEVICE FOR THE PURPOSE OF CAUSING, INDUCING, OR OBTAINING A TERM-