

# AMENDMENT 4

NOT WHAT IT SEEMS - WAY TOO EXTREME

Amendment to legalize any abortion at any age, including minors, and without parental consent

**TITLE: Amendment to Limit Government Interference with Abortion**

Eliminates ALL regulations on abortion — even laws that protect women

SUMMARY: No law shall prohibit, penalize, delay, or restrict abortion before viability or when necessary to protect the patient's health, as determined by the patient's healthcare provider.

"viability" NOT DEFINED

BIG LOOPHOLE!

This amendment does not change the Legislature's constitutional authority to require notification to a parent or guardian before a minor has an abortion.

"Mental stress" could qualify for the "patient's health" exception.

Any "healthcare provider" — NOT just medical doctors — could determine viability or exceptions for "patient's health."

ELIMINATES CURRENT PARENTAL CONSENT LAWS meaning parents would be informed of their daughter's abortion, but no longer required to give prior consent to their minor's medical procedure.

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ON 4

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# WHY VOTE NO ON AMENDMENT 4?



## NO DEFINITIONS

Unlike other Amendments, **Amendment 4 does not define any of its key terms.** For example, it does not define “viability,” “healthcare provider,” or how serious a health concern would need to be to allow exceptions for late-term abortions. These uncertainties create loopholes resulting in more abortions later in pregnancy than voters intend.



## TOO EXTREME

Amendment 4 goes **TOO FAR** by allowing late-term abortions, far beyond when science says the baby is capable of feeling pain.



## NO PARENTAL CONSENT

Amendment 4 would overturn current laws requiring a parent's consent **BEFORE** a minor can have an abortion, **thereby making abortion the only medical procedure that can be performed on a minor without a parent's permission.**



## BAIT & SWITCH

Amendment 4 pretends to “just bring things back to how they were with Roe vs. Wade” -- but **it actually goes much further -- creating a constitutional right to abortion throughout all nine months with no protections for the unborn baby.**



## TAXPAYER FUNDED ABORTIONS

In Michigan, where voters recently approved a similar amendment, the same lawyers who wrote Amendment 4 are currently suing the state to force taxpayers to fund abortions. **The same thing will happen in Florida if Amendment 4 passes.**

