HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS  
2022 Regular Session  
Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Reengrossed Senate Bill No. 388 by Senator Hewitt

1 AMENDMENT NO. 1  
On page 2, at the end of line 28, insert the following:  
""Abortion-inducing drug" shall not include the sale, use, prescription, or administration of a contraceptive measure, drug, or chemical if it is administered prior to the time when a pregnancy could be determined through conventional medical testing and if the contraceptive measure is sold, used, prescribed, or administered in accordance with manufacturer instructions."

2 AMENDMENT NO. 2  
On page 3, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:  
"(6) "Woman" means a pregnant female whether she is a minor or of the age of majority."

3 AMENDMENT NO. 3  
On page 4, between lines 10 and 11, insert the following:  
"(5) Any act by a licensed pharmacist or pharmacy related to filling a prescription for a drug, medicine, or other substance prescribed for a bona fide medical reason shall not subject the pharmacist or the pharmacy to the criminal consequences if a diagnosis or a diagnosis code is written on the prescription by the prescriber indicating that the drug, medicine, or other substance is intended for a purpose other than to cause an abortion in violation of this Section."

4 AMENDMENT NO. 4  
On page 4, delete lines 18 through 22 in their entirety and insert in lieu thereof the following:  
"meaning and exclusions as provided in R.S. 14:32.9."

5 AMENDMENT NO. 5  
On page 4, at the beginning of line 26, change "D. The Department of Health" to "D.(1) The Louisiana Department of Health"

6 AMENDMENT NO. 6  
On page 4, after line 29, add the following:  
"(2) A physician or other healthcare provider who is licensed to prescribe medications or drugs that are subject to the provisions of Paragraph (1) of this Subsection shall write a diagnosis or a diagnosis code on the prescription that clearly indicates that the prescription is not intended to cause an abortion in violation of this Section."

7 AMENDMENT NO. 7  
On page 5, between lines 9 and 10, insert the following:  
CODING: Words in struck through type are deletions from existing law; words underscored are additions.
"G. Any act by a licensed pharmacist or pharmacy related to filling a
prescription for a drug, medicine, or other substance prescribed for a bona fide
medical reason shall not subject the pharmacist or the pharmacy to the criminal
consequences if a diagnosis or a diagnosis code is written on the prescription by
the prescriber indicating that the drug, medicine, or other substance is intended
for a purpose other than to cause an abortion in violation of this Section."

AMENDMENT NO. 8

On page 5, line 21, change "a chemical abortion drug" to "an abortion-inducing drug"

AMENDMENT NO. 9

On page 5, line 26, after "severable" and before the period "." insert "in accordance with R.S.
24:175"