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**HOUSE COMMITTEE AMENDMENTS**

2016 Regular Session

Amendments proposed by House Committee on Health and Welfare to Original House Bill  
No. 1019 by Representative Edmonds

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1 AMENDMENT NO. 1

2 On page 1, at the beginning of line 12, change "1" to "1(a)"

3 AMENDMENT NO. 2

4 On page 1, between lines 12 and 13, insert the following:

5 "(b)(i) For purposes of this Section, "abortion" shall not include an abortion  
6 performed when the pregnancy is diagnosed as medically futile.

7 (ii) For purposes of this Subparagraph, "medically futile" means that, in  
8 reasonable medical judgement, the unborn child has a profound and irremediable  
9 congenital or chromosomal anomaly that is incompatible with sustaining life after  
10 birth. This diagnosis must be a medical judgment that would be made by a  
11 reasonably prudent physician who is knowledgeable about the case and the treatment  
12 possibilities with respect to the medical conditions involved."