2011-12 SENATE

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- 1. Same Sex Marriage (HJR 6) 2011: HJR 6 would amend the Indiana Constitution to protect marriage between one man and one woman and ban same sex civil unions. HJR 6 passed the Senate on 3/29/11 by a vote of 40-10. HJR 6 must be adopted again by the House and Senate in either 2013 or 2014 in order for the voters to be able to vote in 2014.
- 2. Parental Choice in Education (HB 1003) 2011: Every parent deserves the opportunity to enroll their child in the best school for them. HB 1003 creates choice scholarships for parents whose children are currently in the public school to help them attend a private or Christian school. The parents must meet certain income requirements. HB 1003 passed the Senate 4/21/11 by a vote of 28-22.
- 3. Defunding Planned Parenthood (HB 1210) 2011: Planned Parenthood is the #1 provider of abortions in Indiana and America. Senator Schneider amended HB 1210 in the Senate to take away taxpayer money from Planned Parenthood. The Amendment was adopted on 4/18/11 by a vote of 36-13.
- 4. Banning Same Sex Civil Unions (HJR 6) 2011: HJR 6 would amend Indiana's Constitution to ban same sex marriages and same sex civil unions. Same sex civil unions are virtually identical to same sex marriages just by another name. Senator Lanane attempted to amend HJR 6 to permit same sex civil unions. His amendment was defeated on 3/28/11 by a vote of 11-36.
- 5. Protecting Life (HB 1210) 2011: HB 1210 would amend Indiana's informed consent for abortion law to require, among other things, that the woman seeking an abortion be told that life begins at conception and that the unborn baby may feel pain when the abortion occurs. This information will be provided in writing. She will also be given the opportunity to hear her baby's heart beat and see an ultrasound of the baby. All abortions after the 20th week would be banned except to save the life of the mother. HB 1210 passed the Senate on 4/19/11 by a vote of 35-13.
- **6. Pro-life Legislation (SB 72) 2012:** Senate Bill 72 would regulate abortion inducing drugs (like RU 486) by requiring, among other things, an in person exam by a physician before the drug can be prescribed; and it would require information to be given to the woman under the informed consent for abortion law. SB 72 passed the senate on 2/1/12 by a vote of 36-0.

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2011-12 HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

- 1. Same Sex Marriage (HJR 6) 2011: HJR 6 would amend the Indiana Constitution to protect marriage between one man and one woman and ban same sex civil unions. HJR 6 passed the House on 2/15/11 by a vote of 70-26. HJR 6 must be adopted again by the House and Senate in either 2013 or 2014 in order for the voters to be able to vote in 2014.
- 2. Parental Choice in Education (HB 1003) 2011: Every parent deserves the opportunity to enroll their child in the best school for them. House Bill 1003 creates choice scholarships for parents whose children are currently in the public school to help them attend a private or Christian school. The parents must meet certain income requirements. HB 1003 passed the House on 3/30/11 by a vote of 56-42.
- 3. Protecting Life (HB 1210) 2011: HB 1210 would amend Indiana's informed consent for abortion law to require, among other things, that the woman seeking an abortion be told that life begins at conception and that the unborn baby may feel pain when the abortion occurs. All of this information will have to be provided in writing. HB 1210 passed the House on 3/30/11 by a vote of 72-23.
- **4.** Banning Same Sex Civil Unions (HJR 6) **2011:** HJR 6 would amend Indiana's Constitution to ban same sex marriages and same sex civil unions. Same sex civil unions are virtually identical to same sex marriages just by another name. Rep. Austin attempted to amend HJR 6 to permit same sex civil unions. Her amendment was defeated on 2/10/11 by a vote of 32-60.
- **5. School Choice (HB 1003) 2011:** Language was added in the Senate to HB 1003 to permit parents whose children attend a non-public school, which could be a Christian school or home school, to take a \$1,000 tax deduction to help offset the cost of tuition, fees, textbooks, etc. Parents who choose a non-public school setting also pay taxes to support the public schools. The House concurred with Senate changes to HB 1003 on 4/27/11 by a vote of 56-43.

- **6. Defunding Planned Parenthood (HB 1210) 2011:** Planned Parenthood is the #1 provider of abortions in Indiana and America. Senator Schneider amended HB 1210 in the Senate to take away taxpayer money from Planned Parenthood. The House concurred with Senate changes to HB 1210 including the defunding of Planned Parenthood on 4/27/11 by a vote of 66-32.
- 7. Protection of Children (HB1474) 2011: HB 1474 requires facilities that perform abortions to obtain the age of the father and the date the abortion occurred. If the abortion is performed on a girl younger than 14, the abortion facility is to send the form to the State of Indiana within 3 days. This will help to expedite the investigation of the pregnancy of a child who is younger than 14 who has been a victim of child abuse. HB 1474 passed the House on 3/30/11 by a vote of 83-11.

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