

**SUBSTITUTE FOR  
SENATE BILL NO. 476**

A bill to amend 2002 PA 687, entitled  
"Born alive infant protection act,"  
by amending section 1 (MCL 333.1071).

**THE PEOPLE OF THE STATE OF MICHIGAN ENACT:**

1           Sec. 1. (1) This act ~~shall be known and~~ may be cited as the  
2 "born alive infant protection act".

3           (2) As used in this act:

4           (a) "Abortion" means ~~that term as defined in section 17015 of~~  
5 ~~the public health code, 1978 PA 368, MCL 333.17015.~~ **a medical**  
6 **treatment that is intended to terminate a diagnosable intrauterine**  
7 **pregnancy for a purpose other than to produce a live birth.**

8 **Abortion does not include the use or prescription of a drug or**  
9 **device that prevents pregnancy or a medical treatment used to**



1 **remove a dead fetus or embryo whose death was the result of a**  
2 **spontaneous abortion.**

3 (b) "Live birth" means the complete expulsion or extraction of  
4 a product of conception from its mother, regardless of the duration  
5 of the pregnancy, that after expulsion or extraction, whether or  
6 not the umbilical cord has been cut or the placenta is attached,  
7 shows any evidence of life, including, but not limited to, 1 or  
8 more of the following:

- 9 (i) Breathing.  
10 (ii) A heartbeat.  
11 (iii) Umbilical cord pulsation.  
12 (iv) Definite movement of voluntary muscles.

