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HR 1489

Parental Notification and Intervention Act of 2003

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Rep. Nunes, Devin [R-CA-21]	R · CA	Jul 10, 2003
Rep. Chabot, Steve [R-OH-1]	R · OH	Sep 24, 2003
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Rep. Hoekstra, Peter [R-MI-2]	R · MI	Dec 8, 2003
Rep. Gingrey, Phil [R-GA-11]	R · GA	Jul 6, 2004

Committee Activity

Committee	Chamber	Activity	Date
Judiciary Committee	House	Referred to	May 5, 2003

Subjects & Policy Tags

Policy Area:

Civil Rights and Liberties, Minority Issues

Related Bills

No related bills are listed.

Summary (as of Mar 27, 2003)

Parental Notification and Intervention Act of 2003 - Prohibits any person or organization from performing, permitting facilities to be used to perform, or assisting in the performance of an abortion on an unemancipated minor under age 18, without: (1) clear and convincing evidence of physical abuse of the minor by the parent and the provision of written notification to the parents; (2) compliance with a 96-hour waiting period after notice has been received by the parents; and (3) compliance with judicial intervention procedures. Prescribes penalties of up to ten years' imprisonment and/or a \$1 million fine for violating such prohibition.

Provides for an exception where a physician without principal responsibility for making the decision to perform the abortion determines that: (1) a medical emergency exists due to a grave, physical disorder or disease that would cause the minor's death if an abortion is not performed; (2) parental notification is not possible as a result of the emergency; and (3) certifications and determinations to that effect have been entered in the minor's medical records.

Requires parental notification through certified mail or personal delivery.

Authorizes a notified parent to bring an action in Federal district court which shall enjoin the abortion: (1) until the court's judgment is final; or (2) permanently unless the court determines that granting such relief would be unlawful.

Actions Timeline

- May 5, 2003: Referred to the Subcommittee on the Constitution.
- Mar 27, 2003: Introduced in House
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