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2 SHB 1481 - S AMD TO HC COMM AMD (S-4349.4/92)

3 By Senators Cantu and West

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5 On page 9, after line 9 of the amendment, insert the following:

6 "(4) No nurse, physician, or other health care practitioner may be
7 required by law or contract in any circumstances to participate in the
8 withholding or withdrawal of life-sustaining treatment if such person
9 objects to so doing. No person may be discriminated against in
10 employment or professional privileges because of the person's
11 participation or refusal to participate in the withholding or
12 withdrawal of life-sustaining treatment."