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4 Horn, Patterson, T. Sheldon and Goings

5 ADOPTED 3/6/98

6 Strike everything after the enacting clause and insert the
7 following:

8 "NEW SECTION. **Sec. 1.** A new section is added to chapter 9.02 RCW
9 to read as follows:

10 It is a class C felony for a physician to perform a partial-birth
11 abortion on a viable fetus except to protect the life or health of the
12 mother."

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17 On page 1, line 1 of the title, after "abortions;" strike all
18 material through "RCW" on line 2 and insert "adding a new section to
19 chapter 9.02 RCW;"

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EFFECT: Prohibits partial birth abortions except in limited circumstances.