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This bill would grant immunity to a healthcare worker who administers the COVID-19 vaccination to a patient under a catastrophic health emergency proclamation. Many people across the state have already reportedly died shortly after receiving this vaccine and the victims' loved ones have no recourse to sue the manufacturers since the vaccines are liability-free products. The FDA has not yet approved (licensed) either the Pfizer or the Moderna vaccines, so its implementation even under an Emergency Use Authorization is unwise and disturbing. In fact, they probably should not be called "vaccines" at all, since they do not produce an immune response the same way typical vaccines do. The coronavirus vaccines from Moderna and Pfizer propose to immunize people in a radically different way: by harnessing human cells to become miniature vaccine factories in their own right. Instead of virus proteins, the vaccines contain genetic instructions that prompt the body to produce them. Those instructions are carried via messenger RNA, or mRNA.\* Bottom line, these "vaccines" are experimental biological agents using brand new technology never before injected into human beings, so the manufacturers SHOULD have primary liability in the case of injury or death, and they do not. Anyone administering this vaccine should also have liability for any injury to the patient. Any medical product hurriedly produced such as this one, without proper safety studies, should not take away legal protections from the patient in case they are killed or injured.

<sup>\*</sup> https://www.fda.gov/emergency-preparedness-and-response/coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19/covid-19-frequently-asked-questions