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BY: Senator Mooney

AMENDMENTS TO SENATE BILL NO. 863

(First Reading File Bill)

AMENDMENT NO. 1

On page 1, in line 6, after "Program;" insert "prohibiting the State, except as required by federal law, from paying for certain medical procedures for the termination of a pregnancy when those procedures are provided to an eligible individual enrolled under the Program;"; and after line 12, insert:

"BY adding to

Article - Health - General

Section 15-306

Annotated Code of Maryland

(1994 Replacement Volume and 1999 Supplement)".

AMENDMENT NO. 2

On page 2, after line 26, insert:

"15-306.

EXCEPT AS REQUIRED BY FEDERAL LAW, THE STATE MAY NOT PROVIDE COVERAGE FOR MEDICAL PROCEDURES INTENDED TO RESULT IN THE TERMINATION OF A PREGNANCY WHEN THOSE PROCEDURES ARE PROVIDED TO AN INDIVIDUAL ENROLLED UNDER THE MARYLAND CHILDREN'S HEALTH PROGRAM EITHER THROUGH AN EMPLOYER-SPONSORED HEALTH BENEFIT PLAN OR A MEDICAID MANAGED CARE ORGANIZATION.".