

Written Testimony of Kim Chambers
Submitted to the Health and Government Operations Committee
On HB0108
Public Health – Abortion (Heartbeat Bill)

Members of the Health and Government Operations Committee,

Thank you for giving me the opportunity to submit my written testimony to the committee in opposition to HB0108, the Public Health – Abortion (Heartbeat Bill)

You should be in favor of this bill for the following reasons:

1. Even though I am not a proponent of abortion, if woman needs to make a choice, but she needs ALL the facts.
2. Any abortion procedure should be done in the presence of a board-certified physician.
3. Any abortion that is not done in the clinical setting should be illegal under the law.
4. Pills that induce an abortion should not be handed to a woman to have an abortion on her own. This committee should know the risks of this procedure as well as D&C, D&E procedures.
5. No matter at what stage of gestation, a baby is a baby, not anything else. And to end that life is murder.
6. This bill must specify that the woman know how far along she is in her pregnancy, have an ultrasound, blood work, before she makes that decision and must be monitored by a certified health care provider.

For these reasons, I strongly encourage the members of this committee to give this bill a favorable report.

Thank you for your time,

Kim Chambers