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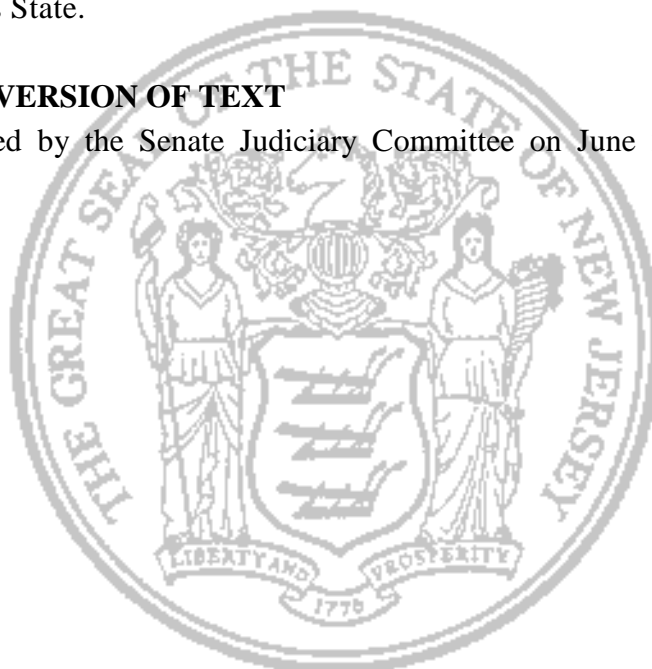
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SYNOPSIS

Prohibits extradition of individual from another state back to that state for actions related to conduct concerning reproductive health care services lawful in this State.

CURRENT VERSION OF TEXT

As reported by the Senate Judiciary Committee on June 27, 2022, with amendments.



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1 AN ACT barring extradition of persons ¹**[in]** under¹ certain
2 circumstances ¹related to actions concerning reproductive health
3 care services¹ and ¹**[amending N.J.S.2A:160-14]** supplementing
4 chapter 160 of Title 2A of the New Jersey Statutes¹.

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6 **BE IT ENACTED** *by the Senate and General Assembly of the State*
7 *of New Jersey:*

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9 ¹**[**1. N.J.S.2A:160-14 is amended to read as follows:

10 2A:160-14. The **[governor]** Governor of this **[state]** State may
11 also surrender, on demand of the executive authority of any other
12 state, any person in this **[state]** State charged in **[such]** the other
13 state in the manner provided in section N.J.S. 2A:160-11 **[of this**
14 **title]** with committing an act in this **[state]** State, or in a third state,
15 intentionally resulting in a crime in the state whose executive
16 authority is making the demand, and the provisions of this article
17 not otherwise inconsistent shall apply to such cases, even though
18 the accused was not in that state at the time of the commission of
19 the crime, and has not fled therefrom. This provision shall not
20 apply in instances where the crime for which extradition is sought
21 relates to reproductive health services and would not be punishable
22 by the laws of this State.

23 As used in this section "reproductive health services" means
24 medical, surgical, counseling, or referral services relating to the
25 human reproductive system, including services relating to
26 pregnancy or the termination of a pregnancy.

27 (cf: P.L.1951 (1st SS), c.344)]¹

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29 ¹1. Notwithstanding the provisions of N.J.S.2A:160-14, the
30 Governor shall not surrender, on demand of the executive authority
31 of any other state, any person who:

32 a. is found in this State;

33 b. was not in the state whose executive authority is making the
34 demand at the time of the commission of the alleged crime and has
35 not fled therefrom; and

36 c. is charged in the state whose executive authority is making
37 the demand with providing, receiving, assisting in providing or
38 receiving, providing material support for, or traveling to obtain
39 reproductive health care services that are permitted under the laws
40 of this State, including on any theory of vicarious, joint, several or
41 conspiracy liability.

42 As used in this section, "reproductive health care services"
43 means all medical, surgical, counseling, or referral services relating
44 to the human reproductive system including, but not limited to,

EXPLANATION – Matter enclosed in bold-faced brackets **[thus]** in the above bill is not enacted and is intended to be omitted in the law.

Matter underlined thus is new matter.

Matter enclosed in superscript numerals has been adopted as follows:

¹Senate SJU committee amendments adopted June 27, 2022.

1 services relating to pregnancy, contraception, or termination of a
2 pregnancy.

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4 2. This act shall take effect immediately.