Animas High School Model Senate

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Title of Bill:

An Act to Restrict and Educate the Populace on Abortions

BE IT ENACTED BY THE ANIMAS HIGH SCHOOL MODEL CONGRESS

1 <u>Preamble:</u> Whereas abortion, defined as the deliberate termination of a human pregnancy, 2 has been legal in the United States of America since the Supreme Court Case Roe v. Wade 3 of 1973, and since the lack of specification in the law has allowed for legal abortions to be 4 performed after the fetus has been proven to feel pain, abortion laws need to change in 5 order to protect the physical safety of the mother as well as the fetus.

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7<u>SECTION 1:</u> Let this act be cited as, "Bill to Educate Women and Prevent Unjust Fetal **8**Pain."

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10 <u>SECTION 2:</u> Let women whose conception date was less than 20 weeks previous have **11** access to abortions in all states.

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13<u>SECTION 3:</u> Let women receive abortions past the 20 week deadline (and up to 24 weeks) if **14**their pregnancy is a result of rape, incest, or if the mother's health or life is put at risk **15**carrying the fetus to full term.

16 <u>Sub-SECTION A:</u> Rape is defined as the crime of forcing another

17 person to submit to sexual intercourse

18 <u>Sub-SECTION B:</u> Incest is defined as sexual relations between family

19 members and close relatives

Sub-SECTION C: Risk of the mothers health or life should be determined by a physician, and the abortion should only be recommended and carried out by a

22 registered physician.

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24 SECTION 4: Let all young women be educated about the details of abortion while in seventh **25** grade or the equivalent, and let women considering abortion be informed on the procedure **26** of abortion and what it may entail.

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28 SECTION 5: Let the Government provide access and funding for contraceptives.

29 <u>Sub-SECTION A:</u> A contraceptive is defined as a method or device serving to

30 prevent pregnancy.

31	Sub-SECTION B: Condoms, as paid for by the government, will be available at
32	medical care facilities and public high schools.
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34 <u>SECTION 6:</u>	Let the states receive increased federal funding.
35	Sub-SECTION A: 10% increase in Health and Human Services department to
36	be put towards contraceptive research and availability of contraceptives
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38 SECTION 7: This bill shall go into effect 91 days after passage.	
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