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To amend title III of the Public Health Service Act to prohibit health centers from providing abortions, and for other purposes.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

MARCH 9, 2023

Mr. BRAUN (for himself, Mr. RUBIO, and Mr. SCOTT of Florida) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Health, Education, Labor, and Pensions

A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “No Taxpayer Funding
5 for Health Centers Providing Abortion Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. LIMITATION ON ABORTIONS.**

7 Section 330(a)(2) of the Public Health Service Act
8 (42 U.S.C. 254b(a)(2)) is amended—

1 (1) in the paragraph heading, by striking “LIM-
2 ITATION” and inserting “LIMITATIONS”;

3 (2) by striking “The requirement” and insert-
4 ing the following:

5 “(A) IN GENERAL.—The requirement”;

6 and

7 (3) by adding at the end the following:

8 “(B) LIMITATION ON ABORTIONS.—

9 “(i) IN GENERAL.—Funds made avail-
10 able to health centers under this section
11 may not be used for abortions except
12 where necessary to save the life of the
13 mother. No health center or related treat-
14 ment facility, that receives funds under
15 this section, may provide or be used to pro-
16 vide an abortion except where necessary to
17 save the life of the mother.

18 “(ii) DEFINITION.—In this subpara-
19 graph, the term ‘abortion’ means the use
20 or prescription of any instrument, medi-
21 cine, drug, or any other substance or de-
22 vice—

23 “(I) to intentionally kill the un-
24 born child of a woman known to be
25 pregnant; or

1 “(II) to intentionally terminate
2 the pregnancy of a woman known to
3 be pregnant, with an intention other
4 than—

5 “(aa) after viability to
6 produce a live birth and preserve
7 the life and health of the child
8 born alive; or

9 “(bb) to remove a dead un-
10 born child.”.

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