



WHAT DOES PROP 1 SAY?

"The state shall not deny or interfere with an individual's reproductive freedom in their most intimate decisions, which includes their fundamental right to choose to have an abortion and their fundamental right to choose or refuse contraceptives. . ."

WHAT DOES THE LANGUAGE OF PROP 1 MEAN?

We don't know how California state courts will interpret Prop 1's very broad language that goes far beyond abortion. Its broad grant of "reproductive freedom" - regardless of age or maturity - may be an existential threat to public health and protection of women and children.

"Reproductive freedom" as a fundamental constitutional right may override existing laws that protect children and public health. Existing protections could be deemed "state interference." Minors may be able to consent to sex at any age and with anyone. Girls and women may sell eggs and rent their wombs to anyone - including private firms for profit - without state oversight or restrictions. And Prop 1 could override existing public health bans on incest and polygamy because they also interfere with sexual freedom. Even state regulation of abortion clinics and abortionists could be deemed unconstitutional interference with someone's right to choose a type of reproductive care. We just do not know how expansive this "reproductive freedom" could get.

WHY VOTE NO ON PROP 1:

- MAY THWART EXISTING HEALTH REGULATIONS THAT PROTECT WOMEN
- MAY ELIMINATE STATE OVERSIGHT OF ALL REPRODUCTIVE CHOICES INCLUDING SURROGACY, BUYING AND SELLING OF EGGS AND SPERM, AND OTHER REPRODUCTIVE TECHNOLOGIES
- MAY ENABLE CHILD ABUSE AND SEXUAL EXPLOITATION
- MAY ENABLE INCEST AND POLYGAMY

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PROP 1 GOES FAR BEYOND PROTECTING ABORTION ACCESS

- ABORTION IS ALREADY A FUNDAMENTAL RIGHT under California's constitution. according to state supreme court rulings. Prop 1 will affirm those rulings.
- LATE-TERM ABORTION IS ALREADY UNRESTRICTED IN CALIFORNIA. Newly passed law (AB 2223) removes all civil and criminal penalties for abortions, and bars investigation into the death of babies born alive "due to causes that occurred in utero" -- in other words, botched abortions. AB 2223 effectively permits late-term abortions and the killing of babies born alive after failed abortions. Prop 1 will affirm that law.
- ABORTION FUNDING IS ALREADY SET. The California Legislature has already committed over \$200 million dollars to paying for abortions. Prop 1 has nothing to do with that funding. Prop 1 will have no effect on where, when, or how California taxpayers fund abortions for out-of-state women.

PROP 1 THREATENS PUBLIC HEALTH. PROP 1 ERODES PARENTAL RIGHTS TO PROTECT CHILDREN. PROP 1 ENCOURAGES HUMAN TRAFFICKING AND EXPLOITATION.

SEE THE OTHER SIDE OF THIS FLYER TO LEARN HOW.

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