

By: Representative Formby

To: Constitution

HOUSE CONCURRENT RESOLUTION NO. 61

1 A CONCURRENT RESOLUTION PROPOSING AN AMENDMENT TO THE
2 MISSISSIPPI CONSTITUTION OF 1890, TO PROVIDE THAT NOTHING IN THIS
3 CONSTITUTION SHALL BE CONSTRUED TO GRANT ANY RIGHT OR PRIVILEGE TO
4 ANY PERSON TO ABORT A HUMAN FETUS; AND FOR RELATED PURPOSES.

5 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF
6 MISSISSIPPI, That the following amendment to the Mississippi
7 Constitution of 1890 is proposed to the qualified electors of the
8 state:

9 Amend the Mississippi Constitution of 1890, by creating a new
10 section to read as follows:

11 "Section _____. Nothing in this Constitution shall be
12 construed to grant any right or privilege to any person to abort a
13 human fetus."

14 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That this proposed amendment shall be
15 submitted by the Secretary of State to the qualified electors at
16 an election to be held on the first Tuesday after the first Monday
17 of November 1999, as provided by Section 273 of the Constitution
18 and by general law.

19 BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That the explanation of this proposed
20 amendment for the ballot shall read as follows: "This proposed
21 constitutional amendment provides that nothing in the Constitution
22 shall be construed as granting any right or privilege to any
23 person to abort a human fetus."