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STATE OF MAINE
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES
122ND LEGISLATURE
FIRST SPECIAL SESSION

HOUSE AMENDMENT "A" to H.P. 201, L.D. 262, Bill, "An Act To Protect Unborn Children from Acts of Violence"

Amend the bill by striking out the title and substituting the following:

'An Act To Protect Pregnant Women from Acts of Violence'

Further amend the bill by striking out everything after the enacting clause and before the summary and inserting in its place the following:

Sec. 1. 17-A MRSA §208-C is enacted to read:

§208-C. Elevated aggravated assault on pregnant person

1. A person is guilty of elevated aggravated assault on a pregnant person if that person intentionally or knowingly causes serious bodily injury to a person the person knows or has reason to know is pregnant. For the purposes of this subsection, "serious bodily injury" includes bodily injury that results in the termination of a pregnancy. This subsection does not apply to acts committed by:

A. Any person relating to an abortion for which the consent of the pregnant person, or a person authorized by law to act on her behalf, has been obtained or for which such consent is implied by law; or

B. Any person for any medical treatment of the pregnant person or the fetus.

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2. Elevated aggravated assault on a pregnant person is a Class A crime.

SUMMARY

This amendment replaces the bill and provides for the crime of elevated aggravated assault on a pregnant person for a person who intentionally or knowingly causes serious bodily injury to a person the offender knows or has reason to know is pregnant.

SPONSORED BY: 
(Representative PELLETIER-SIMPSON)

TOWN: Auburn

FISCAL NOTE REQUIRED
(See attached)

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LR 0294(07)

An Act To Protect Unborn Children from Acts of Violence

Fiscal Note for House Amendment "A"

Sponsor: Rep. Pelletier - Simpson

Fiscal Note Required: Yes

Fiscal Note

Lessening of Correctional and Judicial Impact

Correctional and Judicial Impact Statements

Strikes the new crimes contained in the bill and replaces with a new elevated aggravated assault crime.