

A Bill to Repeal the Hyde Amendment to Ensure Safe and Legal Abortion in the United States

1 BE IT ENACTED BY THE CONGRESS HERE ASSEMBLED THAT:

2 **SECTION 1.** The Hyde Amendment will hereby be repealed.

3 **SECTION 2.** The Hyde Amendment will be defined as the amendment first passed in
4 1976 and then updated in the Departments of Labor, Health and Human
5 Services, and Education, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 1994
6 that prohibits the federal government from providing funds towards
7 abortions that are not in cases of incest, rape, or to save the life of the
8 mother.

9 **SECTION 3.** The Department of Health and Human Services will oversee this
10 transition and ensure that individuals insured under government funded
11 insurance have financial coverage for all abortions.

12 **SECTION 4.** This action will take place January 1st of 2020.

13 **SECTION 5.** All laws in conflict with this legislation are hereby declared null and void.

Introduced for Congressional Debate by Senator Lauren Taylor