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STATE OF COLORADO

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LLS NO. 06-0293.01 Michael Dohr

HOUSE BILL 06-1249

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House Committees

Health and Human Services

Senate Committees

Health and Human Services

A BILL FOR AN ACT

101 **CONCERNING GRANTING AUTHORITY TO A PREGNANT MINOR TO**
102 **APPROVE PERINATAL MEDICAL CARE FOR THE MINOR'S**
103 **PREGNANCY INTENDED TO RESULT IN A LIVE BIRTH OF A CHILD,**
104 **AND, IN CONNECTION THEREWITH, LIMITING THE AUTHORITY TO**
105 **APPROVING PRENATAL, DELIVERY, AND POST-DELIVERY**
106 **MEDICAL CARE RELATED TO THE INTENDED LIVE BIRTH OF A**
107 **CHILD.**

Bill Summary

(Note: This summary applies to this bill as introduced and does not necessarily reflect any amendments that may be subsequently adopted.)

Shading denotes HOUSE amendment. Double underlining denotes SENATE amendment.
Capital letters indicate new material to be added to existing statute.
Dashes through the words indicate deletions from existing statute.

HOUSE
3rd Reading Unamended
February 28, 2006

HOUSE
2nd Reading Unamended
February 27, 2006

Allows a minor to authorize medical care related to treatment of a pregnancy.

1 *Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Colorado:*

2 **SECTION 1.** Part 1 of article 22 of title 13, Colorado Revised
3 Statutes, is amended BY THE ADDITION OF A NEW SECTION to
4 read:

5 **13-22-103.5. Minors - consent for medical care - pregnancy.**

6 NOTWITHSTANDING ANY OTHER PROVISION OF LAW, A PREGNANT MINOR
7 MAY AUTHORIZE PRENATAL, DELIVERY, AND POST-DELIVERY MEDICAL
8 CARE FOR HERSELF RELATED TO THE INTENDED LIVE BIRTH OF A CHILD.

9 **SECTION 2. Safety clause.** The general assembly hereby finds,
10 determines, and declares that this act is necessary for the immediate
11 preservation of the public peace, health, and safety.