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# H. R. 7604

To amend title 18, United States Code, to provide for enhanced penalties for partial birth abortions.

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IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

APRIL 27, 2022

Mr. MULLIN introduced the following bill; which was referred to the Committee on the Judiciary

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Partial Birth Abortion  
5 Is Murder Act”.

6 **SEC. 2. INCREASED PENALTY.**

7 Section 1531(a) of title 18, United States Code, is  
8 amended by striking “Any physician who, in or affecting  
9 interstate or foreign commerce, knowingly performs a par-  
10 tial-birth abortion and thereby kills a human fetus shall

1 be fined under this title or imprisoned not more than 2  
2 years, or both.” and inserting the following: “Any physi-  
3 cian who, in or affecting interstate or foreign commerce,  
4 knowingly performs a partial-birth abortion and thereby  
5 kills a human fetus shall be imprisoned for any term of  
6 years or for life (but in no event for not less than 5 years),  
7 may in addition be fined under this title, and shall not  
8 be eligible for supervised release.”.

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