JAN 19 2017

A BILL FOR AN ACT

RELATING TO HEALTH.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE LEGISLATURE OF THE STATE OF HAWAII:

1	SECT	ION 1. Section 453-16, Hawaii Revised Statutes, is
2	amended by	y amending subsection (a) to read as follows:
3	"(a)	No abortion shall be performed in this State unless:
4	(1)	The abortion is performed by a licensed physician or
5		surgeon, [or] by a licensed osteopathic physician and
6		surgeon[+], or by an advanced practice registered
7		nurse; provided that the advanced practice registered
8		nurse shall only perform aspiration abortions; and
9	(2)	The abortion is performed in a hospital licensed by
10		the department of health or operated by the federal
11		government or an agency thereof, $[0rac{1}{2}]$ in a clinic, or
12		<u>in a</u> physician's [or], osteopathic physician's, or
13		advanced practice registered nurse's office."
14	SECT	ION 2. Statutory material to be repealed is bracketed
15	and stric	ken. New statutory material is underscored.

1 SECTION 3. This Act shall take effect upon its approval.

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INTRODUCED BY:

S.B. NO. 124

Report Title:

Termination of Pregnancy; Aspiration Abortion; Advanced Practice Registered Nurse

Description:

Authorizes advanced practice registered nurses to perform aspiration abortions.

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