

LEGISLATIVE BILL 125

Approved by the Governor April 8, 1981

Introduced by Dworak, 22; Labeledz, 5; Higgins, 9
AN ACT relating to insurance; to restrict the coverage
provided under certain contracts or agreements
as prescribed; and to declare an emergency.
Be it enacted by the people of the State of Nebraska,

Section 1. No group insurance contract or health maintenance agreement providing hospitalization, medical, surgical, accident, sickness, or other health coverage paid for in whole or in part with public funds shall include coverage for abortion, as defined in section 23-326. This section shall not apply to coverage for an abortion which is verified in writing by the attending physician as necessary to prevent the death of the woman or to coverage for medical complications arising from an abortion. This section shall not prohibit the insurer from offering individual employees special coverage for abortion if the costs for such coverage are borne solely by the employee.

Sec. 2. Since an emergency exists, this act shall be in full force and take effect, from and after its passage and approval, according to law.