Revised Statute: Protection of A Child, 2025-2026

Be it Enacted by the People of the state of Colorado,

In Colorado Revised Statutes, add under Article 3 of Title 18:

## 18-3-101.1. EVERY CHILD HAS THE RIGHT TO CONTINUE LIVING FROM THE MOMENT THEY ARE CONCEIVED.

## 18-3-101.2. Application.

- a) Children shall be allowed to continue living and given human comfort and care at birth, including nutrition, warmth, and human contact.
- b) Parents shall be referred to resources and medical care that do not intentionally kill children.
- c) Permits or licensing shall not be granted, and shall be revoked, for any business or individual that causes intentional harm or death to a child.
- d) Unlicensed and under-regulated businesses and individuals providing surgeries or drugs to pregnant mothers or children shall no longer operate in the state of Colorado.
- e) Drugs intended to kill or disable children shall not be dispensed, possessed, consumed, transported, or mailed.
- f) Laws protecting children after they are born shall apply to children before they are born.
- g) Parents may choose who raises their child. They may enlist a modern adoption agency, if needed.
- h) In a medical emergency, medical triage by licensed medical professionals is expected for best outcomes of all patients. This statute does not limit necessary care by an obstetrician for ectopic pregnancy or miscarriage where the child has already died or labor cannot be stopped.

## 18-3-101.3. Enforcement.

The judiciary is expected to consider all facts through due process of the law to determine if the law was broken, who the perpetrators and victims are, and enact fair and appropriate justice for victims.

**Self-Executing.** This provision of lawful protection shall be self-executing, meaning it does not need the governor's signature, and shall supersede any conflicting statutes, legislation, or judgments.

- a) **Applicability.** This act of protection applies beginning November 4, 2026, and is not retroactive, meaning that this act does not apply to actions prior to November 4, 2026.
- b) Effective Date. This act shall take effect November 4, 2026, if approved by the people's vote.
- c) Severability. If any part of this statute is found to be unenforceable, the remainder of this statute, application, and enforcement shall remain in effect.