

Appropriations Provisions

Commerce, Justice, Science

ABORTION FUNDING FOR PRISONERS—Ban on abortion funding for federal prisoners, and conscience protection for prison employees. *(enacted in FYs 1996-2014)*

LEGAL SERVICES CORPORATION (LSC)—Ban on Legal Services Corporation (LSC) funds going to organizations that engage in abortion-related litigation. *(enacted in FYs 1996-2014)* This pro-life provision is maintained, by reference. (By reference of Public Law 105-119 which references Section 504 (a) 14 of Public Law 104-134)

Financial Services

FEDERAL EMPLOYEE HEALTH BENEFITS Programs Funding Ban (SMITH)—ban on funding of abortions through the Federal Employee Health Benefits (FEHB) program, except in the instances of rape, incest or life of the mother *(enacted in FYs 1984-1994; 1996-2014)*

FEHBP CONSCIENCE PROTECTION—conscience protections for health care personnel and providers that were expanded in FY 2000 and retained since.

DC CONSCIENCE INTENT OF CONGRESS—intent of Congress that any DC imposed contraceptive mandate should include a conscience clause.

DC FUNDING BAN (DORNAN)—ban on using appropriated funds (Federal or D.C. revenues) for abortion in the District of Columbia. *(enacted in FYs 1996-2009; 2011-2014)*

Labor, HHS, Education

TITLE X FUNDING—funding for family planning through organizations that also promote and may even provide abortion. In FY14, Title X was funded at \$286,479,000 under Title II, Health Resources and Services Administration, Health Resources and Services.

ABUSE REPORTING—provision stating that Title X grantees are not exempt from state reporting laws on child abuse, child molestation, sexual abuse, rape or incest. *(Enacted FY 1999-2014)*

MEDICARE ADVANTAGE CONSCIENCE PROTECTION—conscience protection for health care entities under the Medicare ADVANTAGE program to ensure that they will not be discriminated against in state and federal programs if they refuse to provide abortions. *BACKGROUND: Conscience protection was enacted with respect to medical education programs as part of FY 1996 bill, not as an annual rider but as an amendment to the US Code. The ADVANTAGE (formerly Medicare+Choice) concern was addressed as an annual rider. (Enacted FY 1999-2014)*

DOMESTIC FUNDING BAN (HYDE)—bans federal funding of domestic abortions, except in cases of rape, incest or life of the mother. *(enacted in various forms in FYs 1976-2014)*

ABORTION NON-DISCRIMINATION PROVISION (HYDE-WELDON)—provides conscience protection for health care entities. By preventing HHS funding recipients from discriminating against health care providers because they refuse to provide, pay for or refer for abortion. *(Enacted FY 2005-2014)*

EMBRYO DESTRUCTIVE RESEARCH FUNDING BAN (DICKEY-WICKER)—ban on federal funding of harmful human embryo research with report language saying it does not conflict with the President's embryonic stem cell policy. *(enacted in FYs 1996-2014)*

State, Foreign Operations

COERCIVE ABORTION (KEMP-KASTEN)—allows the President to discontinue funding to organizations that support or participate in the management of a coercive abortion program. It has been included since FY 1985. This is the provision that President Bush used to eliminate funding for UNFPA in FY 02, FY 03, FY 04 FY05, FY06, FY07 and FY08. In FY09, the language was technically retained, but additional language rendered the policy ineffective with respect to UNFPA. *(Enacted FY 1985-2014)*

ENSURING VOLUNTARY INTERNATIONAL FAMILY PLANNING PROGRAMS (TIAHRT)—ensures that population control funds are only used in programs which are certified to be voluntary in every respect *(enacted in FYs 1999-2014)*

PEACE CORP ABORTION FUNDING BAN—language preventing Peace Corps money from being used to pay for abortion. *(Enacted FY 1979-2014)*

INTERNATIONAL ABORTION FUNDING BAN (HELMS)—language preventing foreign aid from being spent for abortion as a method of family planning or to motivate or coerce anyone to practice abortion or involuntary sterilization. *(Enacted FY 1981-2014)*

HIV/AIDS NOTWITHSTANDING PROVISION—allowed HIV/AIDS funds and other disease funds to be spent notwithstanding any other provision of law. This provision was modified to reference the provisions that govern the AIDS law (HR 1298) so that the money would be governed by existing pro-life riders that govern foreign aid. *(Enacted FY 2004-2014)*

INTERNATIONAL FUNDING FOR POPULATION CONTROL PROGRAMS—funding level for international family planning which enriches organizations that promote and perform abortion. In FY14, International family planning/reproductive health was funded at not less than \$575,000,000 under Division K, Title VII, General Provisions, Global Health Activities, Sec. 7058(a).

UNFPA FUNDING—UNFPA was funded at \$35 million in FY14. Proper interpretation of the Kemp-Kasten provision in the Global Health and Child Survival section requires withholding of all funds from UNFPA. However the Obama Administration has funded UNFPA anyway.