## 2<sup>nd</sup> Written Testimony from Susie Collins Against the Proposed PRO Act Bill &

## **Companion Bills**

My name is Susie Collins of Shorewood (Excelsior), MN. This is my 2<sup>nd</sup> written testimony that I would like all Senators & House Representatives to read stating I am vehemently opposed to the radical PRO Act Bill & it's companion bills.

I worked for 2 years at a pro-life pregnancy resource center as the treasurer, a board member & did extensive fundraising. During the covid pandemic shutdown I witnessed first-hand as abortion clinics were deemed essential businesses & allowed to stay in operation while pregnancy resource centers were closed down. The state also denied our clinic, & I believe 7 other clinics, a 5-year state grant which we had received for years & depended greatly on. It is very clear that many in MN Government have a "Culture of Death" mentality & it is being branded as "Abortion is healthcare for women"! Nothing could be further from the truth!! Abortion is murder! It kills a baby and it mortally wounds the women it is saying it helps. I have spoken to so many post-abortive women who suffer greatly from the abortions they had. Their shame is real & most bury it deep in their hearts never seeking emotional/mental help or forgiveness since it is legal which somehow legitimizes it in many people's eyes.

The chemical abortion pill which is being distributed through abortion clinics & mobile units (in person & by mail) & will be available by prescription at Walgreen's & CVS Pharmacies is particularly alarming!!! This is worse than backalley abortions! A woman or girl takes the pills by herself and is left to deliver her own dead child and dispose of that child's body!!! The emotional & mental damage from this will scar her for life & I predict we will see an uptick of suicides & mental health problems as well as lawsuits when women encounter medical problems like hemorrhaging & even death due to no medical supervision!

I listened at the senate & house meetings last week & could not believe what I heard! One of the senators authoring the bill could not even define when life started! Proposed amendments were shot down to give pain medication to viable babies who could feel pain as they were being slaughtered, abortion clinics would not have to be inspected or keep records, a minor girl could get an

abortion or sterilization without parental notification, local government laws to keep abortion clinics out of towns & cities would be overridden by state laws. This would make MN a sanctuary city for abortion with clinics & mobile trucks being positioned throughout our state. They would be in neighborhoods, by schools, churches, & at state borders to attract out-of-state women & our tax payer dollars would be used to fund many of them. I even witnessed as a proposed amendment to protect a live born baby who survived an abortion was voted down! Infanticide!

I peacefully pray the rosary and other prayers with many other pro-life people at Planned Parenthood in St Paul & the abortion clinic in Robbinsdale & others. I see older men drop off girls they have impregnated & gang members drop off sex trafficked girls for abortions. The abortion clinics turn a blind eye to what is going on. If abortion is truly a woman's right and healthcare then why is there so much darkness at these clinics?! We have satanists who do their satanical dances in front of us, we are cursed out by abortionists, escorts & others, I've seen Wiccans trying to cast spells on us, etc. The only joy I've ever witnessed at an abortion clinic is on the rare occasion when a woman comes out of the clinic & tells the sidewalk counselors, she has chosen life!! It is a beautiful sight when a woman walks away and doesn't destroy her baby!!!!

Planned Parenthood no longer talks about its founder, Margaret Sanger, because she believed in exterminating the black race, other minorities & disabled persons which is why their clinics originally were setup in the minority neighborhoods. How could you endorse this?

Lastly, abortion is spiritual warfare against humanity and the line has been drawn in the sand. God has amassed His Army & Satan has amassed his. Please do not bring down the Wrath of God on our state by enshrining these diabolical laws into the MN Constitution. We need to work together to repeal our abortion laws, or at the very least heavily revise them. Do not bring this evil further into our neighborhoods. You are accountable to the citizens of MN and more importantly to God. Thank you for all of you who are fighting for the life of our unborn. Vote "no" to these evil laws & let's all work to bring peace & love to our communities.

Sincerely,

Susie Collins