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**Washington Assisted Suicide Backers Submit 300,000 Petitions to Qualify Measure**

**Olympia, WA (LifeNews.com)** -- Backers of a statewide initiative that would make Washington the second state in the nation to allow legalized assisted suicide have turned in 300,000 signatures. That makes it appear likely the measure will qualify for the November ballot and lead to a battle pitting euthanasia proponents against pro-life advocates, disability rights groups, and medical organizations. If approved by state voters, Initiative 1000 would allow doctors to write a prescription for lethal drugs for patients who have less than six months to live and meet certain eligibility criteria such as a psychological evaluation.

**President Bush Again Refuses Funding for Pro-Abortion United Nations Agency**

**Washington, DC (LifeNews.com)** -- The White House is withholding almost \$40 million in funding from the UN agency because the State Department has determined that it has violated the Kemp-Kasten amendment that ensures no public funds can go to groups that promote forced abortions overseas.

**Abortionists in South Dakota Now Required to Admit Abortion Kills a "Whole, Separate, Unique, Living Human Being"**

**SIOUX FALLS, SD, July 3, 2008 (LifeSiteNews.com)** - The United States Court of Appeals for the Eighth Circuit, in a 7-4 decision, will allow South Dakota to begin enforcing a state law that requires abortion providers to tell women, in writing, that the abortion procedure "will terminate the life of a whole, separate, unique, living human being." In *Planned Parenthood v. Rounds*, the Court vacated a temporary injunction that had been issued by the trial court, which had blocked the law from going into effect.

**Provision Giving Planned Parenthood More Funding Stripped from U.S. War Supplemental Bill**

<http://www.lifesitenews.com/ldn/2008/jun/08062005.html>

Life Site News

Pro-life groups across the U.S. are celebrating a victory with the removal of an amendment to the 2008 War Supplemental Bill (H.R. 2642) that would have given Planned Parenthood facilities discounted drugs at taxpayer expense. The amendment, tacked on to a bill meant to fund the war in Iraq and Afghanistan, would have allowed for certain Planned Parenthood clinics and university healthcare centers to get drugs at further reduced prices, allowing for easier and cheaper distribution of controversial drugs such as birth control pills and the "morning after pill" or Plan B. The U.S. House of Representatives, however, stripped the Planned Parenthood provision at the last minute and then passed the bill.

**Planned Parenthood made it official on July 7th and issued its presidential endorsement for Barack Obama. The group rewarded the senator for his speech last year, where he pledged to only appoint abortion advocates to the Supreme Court. "The Planned Parenthood Action Fund is proud to endorse Barack Obama for President of the United States," president Cecile Richards said in a press release. LifeNews.com obtained.**

**You can help.**

On 04/25/08 DCRTL held its Life Dinner with Speaker, Allan Parker, President of The Justice Foundation and lead legal counsel for Norma McCorvey who was Jane Roe of "*Roe v Wade*" and Sandra Cano who was Mary Doe of "*Doe v Bolton*", in the legal effort to overturn their landmark Supreme Court rulings that brought legalized abortion on demand. Allan Parker said that the U.S. Supreme Court cited to the written testimony of the women of Operation Outcry in upholding the federal ban on partial-birth abortion. But the Court said it did not know the size of the problem, so Allan Parker's group has a goal to collect one million declarations to show the Court how many are hurt by abortion. Please encourage all you know who have had an abortion and regretted it to download the form "Declaration How My Abortion Affected Me" by going to [www.operationoutcry.org](http://www.operationoutcry.org), tell their story and send it to The Justice Foundation, Operation Outcry, 8122 Datapoint Drive, Suite 812, San Antonio, TX 78229. Questions call toll-free 1-866/468-8279.

P.S. Forms are also available at our office.

**Memorials to DCRTL — Thanks to all who have given a gift of life:**

**In memory of:** Helen T. Kehoe from Paul and Betty Dolter; Kay Thier from Dick and Jean Mescher; Karen S. Smith, Helen Vorwald, and Charles Hesel from Dee and Terry Schilling; Dorothy Mihm and Steve Behr from Kathy and Jim Conlon; Van Den Driessche from Doris and Bill McDermott.

**In honor of** the following: Dick Weitz from Kathy and Jim Conlon.

*When a gift is given in memory or in honor of a loved one, an acknowledgement card is sent to the person or family you designate. With gifts of \$250 or greater, their name is engraved on our memorial plaque which is displayed in our office.*

**BOYCOTT UPDATE:**

*The Boycott List* identifies corporations that are boycott targets due to their support of Planned Parenthood (PP). It is published by Life Decisions International (LDI) after thorough investigation of the companies and confirmation that they have in fact funded PP. The CEO receives documentation of contribution, information about PP, and the opportunity to make PP ineligible for future support.

New to *The Boycott List* (as of January 3) and not mentioned previously: **Epic Systems**—Operations: **computer (software: medical management)**; Ms. Judith R. Faulkner, President & CEO, Epic Systems Corp., 1979 Milky Way, Verona, WI 53593-9179. 608271-9000. [www.epicsystems.com](http://www.epicsystems.com). They are a huge employer located in Wisconsin!

New to the "**Dishonorable Mention**" section, which identifies **charitable organizations** that are associated with Planned Parenthood and/or its agenda: **National Education Association (NEA)** is publicly on record as a pro-abortion group. Mr. Reg Weaver, President, National Education Association, 1201-16th St. NW, Washington, DC 20036-3290. (202) 833-4000. [www.nea.org](http://www.nea.org). Each year, pro life organizations attend the NEA National Convention to try and remove pro-abortion language, resolutions, and sex education items that do not include abstinence.

More information about the CFP, visit <http://www.fightpp.org>.

**WE NEED WORKERS FOR THE IOWA STATE FAIR**—Iowans for Life will have a booth at the Iowa State Fair, and they have asked us to staff it on August 10th, from 9am-9pm. Please contact our office to help.

**FIFTEEN FOR LIFE**— Would you be interested in taking 15 minutes a day to pray for the mission of Dubuque County Right to Life? Our Mission statement is listed on Page 1 of this newsletter. Please contact our office and let us know that you will be a prayer warrior for our efforts.

**FORTY DAYS FOR LIFE:** The Fall campaign runs from September 24th to November 2nd. If you are interested in participating outside the Madison Planned Parenthood, please contact our office, and we can arrange to send a team to pray for life.

Our **ANNUAL PICNIC** will be on Thursday August 7th at 6:00pm, and we will be grilling hot dogs and brats in our parking lot. Please bring a dish to pass and your own drinks. Our regular monthly membership meetings will resume in September at the normal time of 7:00pm.

**Children of God for Life** is calling on the Medical Profession to “just say no” to the newly US licensed aborted fetal vaccine, **Pentacel**. The Advisory Committee for Immunization Practices (ACIP) recommended the vaccine be added to the immunization schedule for children, despite the fact that moral alternatives have been used in the US for years. Pentacel is a combination vaccine of Diphtheria, Pertussis, Tetanus (DTaP) plus HiB and Polio. The polio portion of the vaccine uses aborted fetal cell line MRC-5, taken from the lung tissue of an electively aborted 14-week gestation baby.

**OPPORTUNITIES FOR PRAYER AT THE ABORTION MILLS:** You are invited to pray the Rosary outside the Planned Parenthood in Monticello every 2nd Saturday of the month at 8:30am.

THIS MONTH'S FEATURED BUMPER STICKER

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Our cable access shows can be seen on cablevision Channel 16. Watch for our **upcoming locally taped programs**, scheduled for Mondays @ 10:00 A.M., Fridays @ 3:00 P.M. and Saturdays @ 1:00 P.M. We now are able to present other programs on Cable Channel 15. The scheduled times for **LIFE TALK NEWS** are: Mondays @ 9:00 P.M., Tuesdays & Wednesdays @ 3:30 P.M. and Thursdays @ 2:00 P.M. The scheduled times for **Faces of Abortion** are Tuesdays @ 8 P.M. & Wednesdays @ 1:00 P.M. Please keep watching to get updated on life issues and events. Mediacom now has 24 hour programming so our shows will also make random appearances during the night and on weekends—so watch for our shows at other times than those listed above. Now showing: Life Dinner '08: Allan Parker discusses overturning Roe and how abortion hurts women.



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