DELAWARE HOUSE

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POLICY INITIATIVES

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SUPPORTS CONSTITUTIONAL AMENDMENT FOR PARENTAL RIGHTS The Delaware Constitution should be amended to protect the right of parents to the control, custody, and care of their children from government interference, which requires the government to prove that it has a strong, compelling reason to restrict that right, such as in cases of abuse and neglect. (HB 319, 2022)	—	✗ †
SUPPORTS PROHIBITION OF COMPREHENSEIVE SEX ED IN SCHOOLS Public schools should seek to strengthen the parent-child relationship, and should not be required to implement or integrate expansive and comprehensive sex education curriculum that includes LGBTQIA+ role play, sexual practices, and identities. (HB 199, 2021)	—	✗ †
SUPPORTS FAIRNESS IN WOMEN'S SPORTS Delaware law should protect fairness and the integrity of women's sports. (HB 199, 2021; SB 227, 2022)	—	✗ †
SUPPORTS RELIGIOUS LIBERTY Individuals and faith-based entities should have the right of conscience to freely live out their sincerely held convictions regarding human sexuality and conception, without fear of government infringement or retaliation. (HB 199, 2021)	—	✗ †
SUPPORTS THE PROTECTION OF THE PREBORN Abortion is the act of violently ending the life of another human being. Lawmakers should work to promote the value of and protect human life from conception to natural death, versus expanding abortion access through all 9 months of pregnancy. (SR 24, 2022; HB 40, 2022; SB 235, 2022; HB 140, 2022; HB 455, 2022; SB 343, 2022; HB 460, 2022).	—	✗ †
SUPPORTS PROTECTION OF LIFE AT ALL STAGES Assisted Suicide, the act of deliberately assisting or cooperating in helping someone terminate his or her life, should not be legalized in Delaware as an end-of-life option. (HB 140, 2022)	—	—
SUPPORTS LIMITED GOVERNMENT A State of Emergency declaration extended beyond 30 days should depend on the consent of the people of Delaware through the General Assembly. (HB 49, 2021; HB 247, 2021).	—	—
SUPPORTS RIGHT TO BEAR ARMS The right of Delawareans to keep and bear arms, as protected by the US and DE Constitutions, should not be infringed. Better enforcement of current laws to prevent crime versus more restrictive gun control is needed to protect public safety. (HB 450, 2022; SB 8, 2021)	—	✗ †
SUPPORTS ELECTION INTEGRITY To preserve the integrity of our elections, the legislature should strive to eliminate opportunities for fraud in the election process. (HB 15, 2022; HB 25, 2022; SB 320, 2022)	—	✗ †

KEY TO ANSWERS

✓ Yes, Agrees ✗ No, Disagrees

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