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House Bill 4328

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Committee on Health and Human Resources]

1 A BILL to amend the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, by adding thereto a new article,
 2 designated §16-2Q-1, relating to abortion, requiring all abortions to be performed by a
 3 physician board-certified eligible in obstetrics and gynecology.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

ARTICLE 2Q. ABORTION TO BE PERFORMED BY BOARD CERTIFIED PHYSICIAN.

§16-2Q-1. Abortion to be performed by board certified physician.

1 (a) Any abortion performed in the State of West Virginia shall be performed by a physician
 2 board-certified eligible in obstetrics and gynecology.

3 (b) Nothing in this article shall be construed to create a right to abortion.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to require all abortions to be performed by a physician board-certified eligible in obstetrics and gynecology.

Strike-throughs indicate language that would be stricken from a heading or the present law, and underscoring indicates new language that would be added.