

WEST VIRGINIA LEGISLATURE

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Introduced

House Bill 3002

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[Introduced January 24, 2023; Referred to the
Committee on Health and Human Resources then the
Judiciary]

1 A BILL to amend and reenact the Code of West Virginia, 1931, as amended, adding thereto a new
 2 section designated §30-5-24a, relating to prohibiting a mail-order pharmacy from
 3 dispensing an abortifacient or other abortion-inducing medication; and providing criminal
 4 penalties.

Be it enacted by the Legislature of West Virginia:

**ARTICLE 5. PHARMACISTS, PHARMACY TECHNICIANS, PHARMACY INTERNS
 AND PHARMACIES.**

**§30-5-24a. Prohibiting mail-order pharmacy from dispensing certain medications; criminal
 penalty.**

1 No mail-order pharmacy shall dispense an abortifacient or other abortion-inducing
 2 medication by mail-order.

3 Any person or entity in violation of this section is guilty of a misdemeanor and upon
 4 conviction thereof, shall be fined not more than \$10,000.

NOTE: The purpose of this bill is to prohibit a mail-order pharmacy from dispensing an abortifacient or other abortion-inducing medication; and provide criminal penalties.

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