

MAINE RIGHT TO LIFE COMMITTEE

Media Statement: Supreme Court Ruling *Whole Women's Health vs. Hellerstedt*

While the abortion industry celebrates the Supreme Court ruling in *Whole Women's Health vs. Hellerstedt*, we mourn the consequences of this grave decision.

This ruling places profits and politics over the very health of women. Abortion is a dangerous procedure, and women need access to a hospital if complications arise.

Regardless of where you stand on the abortion issue, women deserve the best medical care. Shouldn't we be working *together* to enhance basic safety measures for women seeking abortion? Why is the abortion industry fighting to deny basic medical standards for abortion centers as are required of most medical centers?

Profits must never replace common sense, decency, and compassionate care for women and their children—born and unborn.

We are saddened by this decision which marks a dark day in our nation's history. We look forward to a time in which abortion will be abolished, just as slavery has been.

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