

June 21, 2019

## TO THE HONORABLE MEMBERS OF THE ASSEMBLY:

I am vetoing Assembly Bill 179 in its entirety.

This bill relates to healthcare provider standards of care following an abortion and provides a criminal penalty.

I am vetoing this bill in its entirety because I object to the political interference between patients and their healthcare providers. Further, this bill is redundant because the protections this bill seeks to provide already exist in state law.

Respectfully submitted,

Tony Evers Governor