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Alabama Attorney General Steve Marshall Statement on Overturn of *Roe v. Wade*

(MONTGOMERY) – Attorney General Steve Marshall issued the following statement on the U.S. Supreme Court opinion overturning *Roe v. Wade*.

“Today is a truly historic day. The United States Supreme Court has, at long last, finally overturned its fatally flawed decision in *Roe v. Wade*.

“The issue of abortion now returns to the States—and the State of Alabama has unequivocally elected to be a protector of unborn life.

“Accordingly, I wish to immediately issue the following notices:

“Because neither the United States Constitution nor the Alabama Constitution provides a right to abortion, Alabama laws that prohibit abortion and that have not been enjoined by a court are in full effect. For those laws that have been halted by courts, the State will immediately file motions to dissolve those injunctions. Any abortionist or abortion clinic operating in the State of Alabama in violation of Alabama law should immediately cease and desist operations.

“Furthermore, any act of vandalism or violence against any crisis pregnancy center, church, or other pro-life entity in retaliation for today’s decision will be prosecuted by the Attorney General’s Office to the fullest extent of the law.

“I will have more to say on *Dobbs v. Jackson Women’s Health Organization* and the importance of this decision in due course.”

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