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Dear «SAL»:

SLI works closely with the Alabama ProLife Coalition and other prolife groups in the State of Alabama and nationally. We have just completed drafting a proposed bill for APLC for next year's Legislative session. It would criminalize the import of abortion producing drugs into the State of Alabama. As you know, the Alabama Human Life Protection Act does not penalize women who are caught in circumstances so tragic that they would consider taking the life of their unborn children. We believe the best way to address the issue of abortion producing drugs coming into the state would be to stop those who profit from this. We expect to give you a complete description of this proposed bill in an upcoming Educational Update.

Last year APLC supported a bill that would have provided direct tax credits for contributions to Pregnancy Resource Centers. That bill, along with other tax credit bills did not pass. The bill may be introduced again in the coming 2024 Regular Session, but it may not be a propitious time for doing so.

PRCs need the support of the community. While we hope the State will participate in this protection of human life, we can also support PRCs in other ways. PRCs are non-profit corporations to which you may make tax deductible gifts. Another way to support them is to purchase the Choose Life specialty car tags that will allow a part of those funds to be paid to the PRCs. This month's Educational Update is a reprint of an article from Choose Life Alabama. We believe you will find it instructive. We encourage you to participate in this very needed support by purchasing a Choose Life tag for your car.

Choose Life Alabama began as the Alabama ProLife Coalition Education Fund, Inc. It was a sister organization to APLC. Over the years, it evolved into the entity now responsible for overseeing the Choose Life car tag program.

Thank you for your support of all prolife efforts. With personal regards, I am,

Yours very truly,

A. Eric Johnston

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