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Dear Friends and Supporters,

We are getting off to a slow start in the Alabama Legislature. Some very good bills have passed already, including ones making a distinction between men and women.

However, the bills that would prohibit abortion drugs from coming into the state and that would give tax credits to Pregnancy Resource Centers are not being given the priority they should. We are working on getting these efforts moving and hope to have those bills in committee very soon. This month's Educational Update is an Alabama Prolife Coalition report. It contains many of the things which we have reported in the past. We are hopeful legislators will see the wisdom in the interaction of the proposed bills.

As of yet, we have not seen any gambling bills. They always lurk in the shadows and all of a sudden appear. We will remain vigilant for those.

As you know, candidates are already lining up for next year's midterm elections. Whether there is a "Trump effect" or usual midterm efforts, we will see. Whatever the effect, it will at least be due partly to Trump's efforts. Some may leave us questioning, but others encourage us. Overall, we are still seeing American optimism and a return to the way government should operate. We should continue to pray for our elected officials on a regular basis.

Thanking you for your continuing support. With personal regards, I am,

Yours very truly,

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