

**AMENDMENT TO RULES COMMITTEE PRINT 116-**

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**OFFERED BY MRS. HARTZLER OF MISSOURI**

Add at the end the following:

1 **SEC. 13. RULE OF CONSTRUCTION.**

2 Nothing in this Act or any amendment made by this  
3 Act may be construed to require medical and mental  
4 health care providers —

5 (1) to prescribe puberty blockers as a response  
6 to cross-sex identification or as a treatment for gen-  
7 der dysphoria in children;

8 (2) to recommend social transitioning as a re-  
9 sponse to cross-sex identification or as a treatment  
10 for gender dysphoria;

11 (3) to prescribe cross-sex hormones as a re-  
12 sponse to cross-sex identification or as a treatment  
13 for gender dysphoria; or

14 (4) to perform sex-reassignment surgery as a  
15 response to cross-sex identification or as a treatment  
16 for gender dysphoria.

