

**SSB 6219 - H AMD 1311**

By Representative Shea

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1 On page 3, after line 36, insert the following:

2 "(7) The legislature recognizes that every person possesses a  
3 fundamental right to exercise their religious beliefs and conscience.  
4 No religious or sectarian employer may be required by law or contract  
5 in any circumstances to participate in the provision of, or payment  
6 for, a service or product described in subsection (1) of this section  
7 if they object to so doing for reason of conscience or religion."

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9 On page 4, after line 28, insert the following:

10 "(6) The legislature recognizes that every person possesses a  
11 fundamental right to exercise their religious beliefs and conscience.  
12 No religious or sectarian employer may be required by law or contract  
13 in any circumstances to participate in the provision of, or payment  
14 for, a service or product described in subsection (1) of this section  
15 if they object to so doing for reason of conscience or religion."

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EFFECT: Recognizes that every person possesses a fundamental right to exercise his or her religious beliefs and conscience. Protects religious or sectarian employers from being required by law or contract in any circumstances to participate in the provision of, or payment for, a service or product if they object to doing so for reason of conscience or religion.

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