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I am not a Democrat or Republican, I am Nonpartisan

I feel both Democrats and Republicans have a narrow view of abortion.

I am not here today to advocate for or against abortion. I am here to propose a US Constitutional solution.

Former Justice, Steven Breyer, was opposed to the Dobbs decision. Furthermore, he said to the effect that with that decision abortion issues would continue to come back to the Supreme Court.

In my opinion the Roberts Court did the right thing by sending Abortion back to the States. In my opinion Woe V Wade was never constitutional because it only focused on the woman's privacy, amendment 4. However, in every abortion there are three persons involved, the mother, the father, and the fetus, and fails to administer Due Process which the Fifth Amendment requires before a life can be taken. It specifically says "No person shall be...deprived of life...without due process."

The big question is, is a fetus a life? If we appeal to science which has discovered that every fetus has its own blood type that may be the same as the mother, or the father, or may be different from them both, and if I remember correctly this can be determined within 8 days of conception, or before the mother even knows she is pregnant. Furthermore, the Bible says the life is in the blood. (Leviticus 17:11)

But whether we defer to science or the Bible there is a Constitutional solution to abortion, and that is to form a State Abortion Court.

We have Divorce Courts, Probate Courts, District Courts, Superior Courts, Appellate Courts, Military Tribunals, FISA Courts, Federal Courts, and the Supreme Court. We do not have State Courts that honor the Fifth Amendment in regards Due Process in taking the life of a fetus or giving opportunity for the father to be heard.

Some examples of how an Abortion Court would work:

- 1) A woman comes into the Court diagnosed with a fatal fetal anomaly. The Legislature would determine in this case and in all cases the guidelines for the Court to follow.
- 2) Another woman comes in seeking an abortion for a pregnancy that turns out was rape.
- 3) Another woman comes in seeking an abortion and the father protests and wants the child.
- 4) Another woman comes in seeking an abortion; and we find out it was a case of incest.
- 5) A young girl comes seeking an abortion that is below the age of consent.
- 6) Another woman comes in seeking an abortion. She does not know who the father is and we find out it is her sixth abortion. The Court may determine she is using abortion for contraception.

I believe the only way to prevent abortion from going back to the Supreme Court, and possibly ending up with something worse than Roe V Wade, is by forming an abortion Court.