**Bill Summary** 1<sup>st</sup> Session of the 57<sup>th</sup> Legislature

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## **Bill Analysis**

SB 195 creates the Personhood Act. The measure declares that life begins at conception, unborn children have protectable interests in life, and that the natural parents of a child have protectable interests in the life of their unborn child. The measure states that the laws of this state will be interpreted and construed to acknowledge on behalf of the unborn child at every stage of development all the rights available to other citizens of this state. The measure clarifies that women will not be held responsible for indirectly harming her unborn child by failing to properly care for herself.

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