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IMPENDING SUPREME COURT ABORTION DECISION  
DOBBS V. JACKSON WOMEN'S HEALTH ORGANIZATION

Several news organizations are reporting tonight that a leaked draft opinion from the US Supreme Court on the Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization shows the Justices overturning the landmark abortion decision Roe v. Wade. Although no official decision has been released from the Supreme Court, the draft opinion was authored by Justice Samuel Alito indicating the high court intends to return the issue of abortion back to the States. "This would be a huge victory for pro-life activists who have waited nearly half a century to end the murdering of unborn babies," Koellisch said. "Depending on the Justices' final opinion, this matter could be of key import to local legislators and the State of Idaho which has a trigger law on the books," Koellisch stated. Senate Bill 1385 passed in 2020 states the performance of an abortion is a crime if the United States Supreme Court restores to the States their authority to prohibit abortion. If Roe is overturned in Dobbs, Idaho's trigger law would go into effect 30 days following the Dobbs decision.

Koellisch has been a life-long pro-life advocate and believes that every life should be celebrated and protected from birth until natural death. "It has been my earnest prayer that I would see the overturning of Roe in my lifetime. The Supreme Court must find the moral courage to protect life and end a half century of abhorrent atrocities under the guise of American jurisprudence. The time is now to act," Koellisch stated.

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