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# S. 3173

To amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to provide that amounts paid for an abortion are not taken into account for purposes of the deduction for medical expenses.

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## IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

JANUARY 9, 2020

Mr. LEE (for himself, Mr. CRAMER, Mr. SCOTT of Florida, Mrs. HYDE-SMITH, Mrs. BLACKBURN, Mr. INHOFE, Ms. ERNST, Mr. TILLIS, Mr. DAINES, Mr. SASSE, Mr. PERDUE, Mr. COTTON, Mr. WICKER, Mr. RUBIO, Mr. SCOTT of South Carolina, Mr. ROBERTS, and Mr. MORAN) introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

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## A BILL

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1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*  
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.**

4 This Act may be cited as the “Abortion Is Not Health  
5 Care Act of 2020”.

1 **SEC. 2. AMOUNTS PAID FOR ABORTION NOT TAKEN INTO**  
2 **ACCOUNT IN DETERMINING DEDUCTION FOR**  
3 **MEDICAL EXPENSES.**

4 (a) **IN GENERAL.**—Section 213 of the Internal Rev-  
5 enue Code of 1986 is amended by adding at the end the  
6 following new subsection:

7 “(g) **AMOUNTS PAID FOR ABORTION NOT TAKEN**  
8 **INTO ACCOUNT.**—An amount paid during the taxable year  
9 for an abortion shall not be taken into account under sub-  
10 section (a).”.

11 (b) **EFFECTIVE DATE.**—The amendment made by  
12 this section shall apply to taxable years beginning after  
13 the date of the enactment of this Act.

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