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Dear Supporter,

We come to you this month with two very important messages.

First of all, we always want to state our appreciation to you for your continued support of Return America. Your financial giving is always a source of thanksgiving and deep, abiding appreciation. Our Return America board sends a sincere "thank you" to each of you for your participation with us in helping preserve our great American freedoms.

Second, our North Carolina State Legislature is debating the abortion issue. Currently, a child can be aborted in our state up to 20 weeks of gestation. At this writing, our state legislators are debating when the current gestation period should end. Some are stating that no abortion should take place after the heartbeat is detected, which is around six weeks of gestation. Others involved in the debate are looking at a 12–14-week gestation period. Personally, we believe that life begins at conception, but we are told that a bill of that magnitude will not take place in our state legislature.

We have been assured that wherever the bill lands, the governor will veto the bill. At the veto point, Return America will be calling upon thousands to join us in Raleigh to assure there will be enough votes in our state legislature to override his veto. Please begin to make arrangements to join us in Raleigh to help us send a clear, strong message to our state legislators to uphold the life of the unborn.

As soon as a date is established, we will be asking each of you to join us in Raleigh on behalf of those who cannot speak for themselves. We have a veto-proof majority in the state senate. However, we are one vote short of veto override in the state house, and must persuade at least one Democrat to join us in cancelling out the governor's veto.

Please notify those around you that you will need to be available in the near future to support the life of the unborn. As quick as the state legislature acts, we will immediately notify you of a date for the rally.

I would encourage our pastors to announce this information to your churches and challenge them to be ready and prepared to go to Raleigh to influence our state legislators to support the life of the unborn.

Again, we offer our sincere thanks to you for standing with us. You are greatly appreciated!

Sincerely,

Dr. Ron Baity
President
Return America

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