

FLORIDA CONFERENCE OF CATHOLIC BISHOPS Candidate Questionnaire Project

2018 CANDIDATE RESPONSE Florida House of Representatives District 64

James Grant (REP)

Do you support or oppose...

ABORTION REGULATION: Requiring parental consent before a minor child's abortion, notwithstanding previous judicial concerns?

SUPPORT

ACCESS TO HEALTH CARE: Increasing access to care for uninsured Floridians, especially the working poor?

SUPPORT

Optional Candidate Comment: Significant reform is necessary to provide better access and outcomes to more people at lower costs. The status quo cannot maintain.

AFFORDABLE HOUSING: Using all state housing trust funds as intended to address affordable housing needs in Florida?

SUPPORT

DEATH PENALTY REPEAL: Ending Florida's use of the death penalty while preserving the alternative of a life sentence without parole?

OPPOSE

END-OF-LIFE PROTECTION: Preserving Florida law that bans physician-assisted suicide?

SUPPORT

FREEDOM TO SERVE: Allowing individuals and organizations the freedom to serve the public in accord with reasoned conscientious beliefs related to sexuality and marriage?

SUPPORT

Optional Candidate Comment: Religious liberties are among the most fundamental.

IMMIGRATION: Urging Congress to undertake extensive immigration reform, rather than adopting piecemeal state policies?

SUPPORT

JUVENILE JUSTICE: Establishing that children under 14 shall not be transferred to the adult criminal justice system?

NO RESPONSE

Optional Candidate Comment: I believe blanket, one size fits all approaches to the necessary criminal justice reforms will have unintended consequences.

PARENTAL EMPOWERMENT: Creating education savings accounts to use for nonpublic school tuition?

SUPPORT

Optional Candidate Comment: Critical!

SAFETY OF SCHOOLCHILDREN: Expanding existing legislative initiatives to harden the physical security of

nonpublic schools?

SUPPORT