

**04-1144 AYOTTE V. PLANNED PARENTHOOD OF NORTHERN NEW ENGLAND**

DECISION BELOW: 390 F3d 53

LOWER COURT CASE NUMBER: 04-1161

**QUESTION PRESENTED:**

1. Did the United States First Circuit Court of Appeals apply the correct standard in a facial challenge to a statute regulating abortion when it ruled that the undue burden standard cited in *Planned Parenthood of S.E. Pa. v. Casey*, 505 U.S. 833, 876-77 (1992) and *Stenberg v. Carhart*, 530 U.S. 914, 921 (2000) applied rather than the "no set of circumstances" standard set forth in *United States v. Salerno*, 481 U.S. 739 (1987)?

2. Whether the New Hampshire Parental Notification Prior to Abortion Act, N.H. Rev. Stat. Ann. § 132:24-28 (2003) preserves the health and life of the minor through the Act's judicial bypass mechanism and/or other state statutes?

CERT. GRANTED 5/23/2005