

Dobbs v. Jackson Women's Health Organization

Updates from the Office of MS Attorney General Lynn Fitch

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KEY ARGUMENT:

The debased view of Roe and Casey

Jackson Women's Health Organization's claims boil down to the view that millions of women have a meaningful life only because 50 years ago seven men in *Roe* saved them from despair—and that women's success comes at the cost of ending innumerable human lives. That is the debased view that *Roe* and *Casey* have produced. It is time to get rid of them.

-Attorney General Lynn Fitch

Read Attorney General Fitch's reply brief filed this week at the U.S. Supreme Court [here](#).



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WHAT WE'RE READING

Fox News: [Sen. Hyde-Smith: Mississippi abortion case is our chance to overturn](#)

Roe v. Wade

Opinion by U.S. Sen. Cindy Hyde-Smith

"As a senator, as a woman, and as a mother, I believe the Dobbs case provides an important chance for the Supreme Court to overturn Roe v. Wade and return the abortion issue to the political process and away from unelected activist judges."

USA TODAY: 'Relic of the past': Why women don't need Roe v. Wade to flourish now

Opinion by Maureen Ferguson

"The reasoning undergirding Roe is a relic of the past. Progress requires us to update our laws to reflect what we know in our hearts to be true about the flourishing of human persons, both mother and child."



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Not treating abortion as a fundamental right treats it as the Constitution does most important issues: for the people to decide. It will be hard for the people too, but under the Constitution the task is theirs—and the Court should return it to them now.

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ATTORNEY GENERAL LYNN FITCH IN THE NEWS

Clarion Ledger: Mississippi only state without equal pay law. Here's why and who hopes to change that

"Mississippi Attorney General Lynn Fitch, the first woman elected to that job, is among supporters of equal pay legislation. A deputy attorney general, Whitney Lipscomb, spoke to the Labor Committee on behalf of Republican Fitch, saying it's a bipartisan issue that affects everyone."

Mississippi Today: Life-saving hormone 'belongs to the world,' scientists said. Insulin pricing challenges that concept.

"As the mother of a diabetic, I know the emotional, physical, and financial toll the unacceptable price of insulin has on families,' Mississippi Attorney General Lynn Fitch told MCIR. 'I filed this lawsuit on behalf of every Mississippian who relies on this medication to

survive."

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