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Protection of Life During Pregnancy Act 2013 – Report on Reviews in 2015 For Mr Simon Harris, T.D., Minister for Health.

This report sets out the information from 1st January 2015 to 31st December 2015 under the following headings;

- (i) Number of applications received for review
- (ii) Number of reviews carried out
- (iii) Reasons why the review was sought
- (iv) Outcome of the review

(1) **Number of applications received for review** = 1

(2) **Number of reviews carried out** = 1

(3) **Reasons why the review was sought**

Review was sought under Section 10 (2) of the Act which states;

“A pregnant woman, or a person on her behalf, may make an application in the prescribed form and manner to the Executive for a review of a relevant decision”

The application for review was made under Section 9 (1) of the Act

(4) **Outcome of the Review**

The review committee found that the application did meet the criteria for a lawful termination of pregnancy under the provisions of the Act.

This concludes the report for 2015.

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