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**WITH GOSNELL VERDICT IN, SEN. CAMPBELL REITERATES
NECESSITY OF PASSING ABORTION FACILITIES BILL**

"Without stricter measures, Gosnell could happen in Texas." -D. Campbell

AUSTIN-- Sen. Donna Campbell, co-author of SB 537, also known as the Abortion Facilities Bill, released this statement regarding the Kermit Gosnell verdict today:

"It's worth noting that Kermit Gosnell's 'House of Horrors' did not take place in a fabled back alley, but at a state-approved abortion facility. In response, Pennsylvania lawmakers wisely tightened regulations at abortion clinics to meet the same minimum health and safety standards as ambulatory surgical centers. Tragically, Texas has not followed suit. Right now we are just one vote short of passing our own abortion facilities bill in the Senate and improving women's health. Without it, our facilities will remain substandard and the next Gosnell could happen in Texas. It is past time to act for Texas women and pass this bill."

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Senator Donna Campbell represents Senate District 25 which includes all or parts of Bexar, Comal, Guadalupe, Hays, Kendall and Travis counties. She is a practicing emergency room physician who lives in New Braunfels with her husband and the youngest of their four daughters.