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Representative Quinn Calls for Investigation of Planned Parenthood

Madison – Following the release of a video that appears to show a top Planned Parenthood official discussing how the organization sells the body parts of unborn infants, Representative Romaine Quinn (R-Rice Lake) called for the organization to be investigated.

“The conversations this video records were appalling,” said Rep. Quinn. “For Planned Parenthood to so brazenly discuss how best to harvest ‘intact hearts’ and other organs from unborn babies clearly shows that something is deeply wrong. Too many disturbing questions are raised here to bury our heads in the sand. The people of Wisconsin have a right to be sure that all taxpayer-funded organizations are following state and federal law. I call on Governor Scott Walker and Attorney General Brad Schimel to launch an investigation into Planned Parenthood’s activities.”

Rep. Quinn joins a growing chorus that has demanded answers from Planned Parenthood. Ohio attorney general Mike DeWine has already announced an investigation into the group, and lawmakers at all levels of government have called for action to be taken.

Rep. Quinn is also working with colleagues in the Legislature to find effective means of ensuring that unborn children’s body parts are not being sold.

“Rep. Andre Jacque has proposed language to ensure that fetuses are properly and respectfully disposed. Although federal law does forbid the sale of parts from unborn children, abortion groups often get around this ban by creating artificial fees that essentially reimburse these groups the amount they believe they could make from a sale,” said Rep. Quinn. “We need to make sure Wisconsin’s laws brightly and explicitly ensure that some of the most vulnerable among us are not being exploited for ghoulish purposes.”

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