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Abortifacients to be dropped into Northern Ireland

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(<http://www.belfasttelegraph.co.uk/news/northern-ireland/prochoice-lobby-to-fly-in-abortion-pills-by-drone-34805897.html>) in Northern Ireland, where the practice remains mostly illegal and is punishable with life in prison, by using the aircraft to drop abortifacients into the country Tuesday. A group of women is scheduled to gather at the drop site and ingest the pills.

"It is an all-island act of solidarity between women in the North and the South," maintains a spokesperson for pro-abortion group Women on Waves, "to highlight the violation of human rights caused by the existing laws that criminalize abortion in both the North and South of Ireland except in very limited circumstances."

"Every day we are seeing women being criminalized or being forced to travel to England," claims a representative of Labour Alternative, another one of the groups organizing the drop. "This is to highlight the criminalization of women. The United Nations recently ruled that [Northern Ireland's]

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abortion laws contravene human rights."

Current law in Northern Ireland, following the Offences Against the Person Act of 1861, does permit abortion in limited situations.

According to organizers, the women at the drop site — who are not pregnant — will ingest (http://mashable.com/2016/06/16/abortion-drone-ireland/#5uDSkz5JN8q7) mifepristone, an abortifacient listed (http://www.who.int/medicines/publications/essentialmedicines/EML2015_8-May-15.pdf) by the World Health Organization as being essential for "a basic health-care system."

"Some women will then take the first pill to show how safe it is," asserts Rita Harrold of pro-abortion group Rosa.



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Despite the claims, mifepristone has a plethora of potential side effects associated with it, including pelvic inflammatory disease, and the drug has been connected to adrenal failure, hemorrhagic disorders and inherited porphyria.

In addition to the drone, a protest is scheduled to take place out of the Belfast High Court coinciding with an appeal against a court ruling that the country's abortion law violates the European Convention on Human Rights mandates. The demonstration will also protest the sentencing of an Irish woman in April to three months in jail after she illegally procured pills meant to induce a miscarriage, as she could not afford to travel to England for an abortion.

A second woman is scheduled to stand trial for providing her teenage daughter with abortifacients.

The protesters are taking advantage of loopholes in Irish law, including the allowance to fly drones between the Republic of Ireland and Northern Ireland, to "make the [abortion] law unworkable."

"We aren't too concerned about the police," one organizer asserted. "We did protests with the pills last year and the year before with no police interference."

Tuesday's event is modeled after a stunt performed in 2015 where pro-abortion groups in Germany flew abortifacients into Poland, where abortion is only permitted if there is evidence of rape or incest or the life of the mother is in danger.

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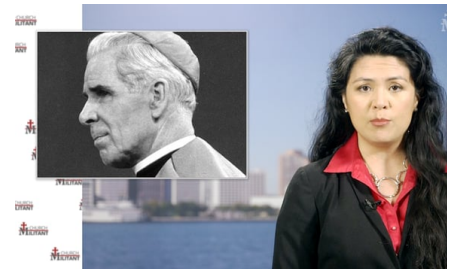
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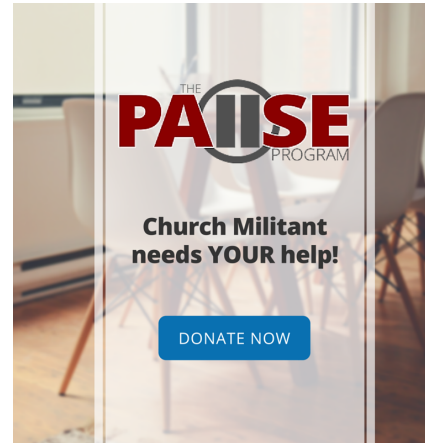


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