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Ciscomani votes to stop women from accessing abortion pill prescriptions by mail

(Tucson) – This week, Rep. Juan Ciscomani (R-Ariz.) voted in the Appropriations Committee to advance a bill that would stop women from receiving abortion pill prescriptions over the phone and by mail. On Wednesday, the Republican-led House Appropriations Committee advanced a budget bill that would make it harder to get abortion pills. Ordering these pills is crucial for people in rural areas, or states with abortion bans. This vote will force people to travel far, and potentially out of state, to access this medication.

“Mr. Ciscomani claims to be an independent voice in the tradition of Southern Arizona, but his vote to stop women from accessing medication abortion shows that he continues to side with MAGA Republicans in attacking women’s rights,” said Tucson Democratic Congressional candidate Kirsten Engel. “Using a government funding bill to restrict access to medication abortion is wrong. Southern Arizona does not want Congress to ban abortion rights.”

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