Statement by the
National Mobilization for Reproductive Justice

We, the People, Overrule SCOTUS:
UNJUST LAWS WILL BE BROKEN!

New York City, June 24, 2022.

The National Mobilization for Reproductive Justice was in the streets on June 24 along with multitudes of people across the U.S. to protest the travesty of a decision by the U.S. Supreme Court. The court’s right-wing reactionaries have dragged U.S. law back in time, overturning 50 years of precedents regarding the right to abortion. It’s back to the days of pro-segregation “states’ rights” law and bans on contraception and queer identities. And forward to the dystopia of a fertilized egg having all the rights of personhood. We reject this future.
The court’s decision triggers laws that ban abortion in 25 states, reducing people who can get pregnant to walking wombs with no legal say in the decision to have children. Without access to abortion, people will resort to desperate acts to end unwanted pregnancies and some will be pressured into forced sterilization. The many forms of reproductive injustice have the most devastating consequences for women who are poor, of color, queer, trans, or living with disabilities.

This ruling flies in the face of the will of the U.S. majority. We won’t let the fetus fetishists and a misogynist minority determine our fates. We won’t be denied the right to control our own bodies and lives. Reproductive choices are #MyDecisionAlone.

working people have a common enemy in the system that profits from oppression and social division. We are stronger fighting together. And strongest with the leadership of the most oppressed, who experience the system at its worst and keep the movement focused on the long-term, multi-faceted fight.

The National Mobilization for Reproductive Justice is a growing coalition of groups and individuals, initiated by Radical Women and based on the following intersectional demands:

• Protect and expand Roe v. Wade; safe, legal abortion on demand without apology
• Repeal the Hyde Amendment
• Overturn state barriers to reproductive choices
• Stop forced sterilization
• No to caged kids, forced assimilation, & child welfare abuses

BUILD A MOVEMENT WITH THE POWER TO WIN

The fight for reproductive justice must be bold and intersectional:
• End medical and environmental racism; for universal healthcare
• Defend queer & trans families
• Guarantee medically sound sex education & affordable childcare
• Sexual self-determination for people with disabilities
• Uphold social progress with expanded voting rights & strong unions

We urge these actions to ramp up the pressure for full reproductive rights:

• Demand President Biden issue an immediate Executive Order guaranteeing every person the right to abortion. Email him at: www.whitehouse.gov/contact

• Union members should call on their unions to organize an emergency conference of working women and allies to strategize defense of reproductive rights

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