

# Basic Detail Report

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## Pro-abortion protester

**Date**

1969-1979

**Medium**

gelatin silver print

**Description**

Abortion in Italy became legal in May 1978, when Italian women were allowed to terminate a pregnancy on request during the first 90 days. A proposal to repeal the law was considered in a 1981 national referendum, but was rejected by nearly 68% of voters; another referendum aimed at eliminating the restrictions was rejected by 88.4%

**Dimensions**

Overall: 21.3 x 30.2 cm (8 3/8 x 11 7/8 in.)