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LD 1215

Dear Health & Human Services Committee Members:

My name is Jayne Boulos. I am a lifelong Mainer and current resident of Cape Elizabeth. I am urging you to ban the sale of all flavored tobacco products (LD 1215). These products are dangerous to all people but especially children. As a former registered respiratory therapist and now a licensed psychologist who works with children, I know firsthand the danger that tobacco products can cause. The flavors used in these products make them more dangerous than unflavored tobacco because they taste like candy and other desserts.

I also know how impressionable children are and how they may not think about long-term consequences when picking up a bad habit. Tobacco companies are famous for targeting vulnerable populations such as children. Please ban the sale of these dangerous products in Maine. Thank you.

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