Sandra Labonte Searsport LD 1619

Senator Carney, Representative Moonen, and Honorable members of the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary:

My name is Sandra Labonte and I live in Searsport. Thank you for this opportunity to present this testimony (I trust that you read this email) and for your serving the state of Maine.

I stand opposed to LD1619, the bill allowing abortion at any time during and up to the birth. Our current law in Maine already allows abortion for any reason for 24 weeks and more if deemed necessary. Incidentally, in this new bill proposed you have removed the necessary exceptions "to preserve the life or health of the mother". Why, in our beautiful state of Maine, has life become so cheap? Why would any doctor here agree to end the life of a fully formed human? Is this a means for our state to make money? Do we not have a conscience anymore? God says in Exodus 23:7, "Do not kill the innocent or the righteous, for I will not acquit the guilty".

Please vote ought not to pass.