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Honorable Members of the Judiciary,

My name is Rebecca Asselin-Emery and I live in Stockton Springs. I am submitting this testimony because I strongly oppose LD1619. I believe this proposed bill is much too extreme and is unnecessary as we currently have a law that allows abortion to protect the health of the mother up to 24 weeks gestation. If this bill becomes law, I believe it will greatly impact not only viable healthy babies but also mothers and families. This bill is so extreme that precious innocent babies, viable babies that can survive outside of the womb, will experience great pain and suffering. More than that, I believe the impact of this type of abortion on the Mother will be more devastating than is realized.

This bill, if passed, would be one of the most extreme abortion laws in our country. This is not who we are in Maine, we value life, all life. We cannot let this bill become law, this is NOT the way life should be. Please vote NO on LD 1619. Thank you for your time and service to our state.