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Dear Legislators,

It is with my most heartfelt concern that I write to you today. I have served on several health care boards for many years. During those times I would hear of the the heroic efforts of our amazing health care providers in their efforts to save the lives of countless prematurely born infants. Those efforts were for the most part successful, and these babies have gone on to grow into wonderful productive human beings. Every tool know to modern science has been implemented to secure their survival outside of the womb. These health care heroes have made every effort to ensure they at least had a chance to enjoy life as we all have had the chance to enjoy.

It saddens me greatly that some of these same human beings would have their chance of enjoying what we enjoy, taken away, even at the point of their full term development.

We are the people of Maine, we care for all of the citizens of Maine. Mainers defend the rights of its people to enjoy everything that life has to offer. Not to cut it short prior to the moment it should begin.

You are all good people, do the right thing for All of our citizens. We all deserve a chance, even if we haven't fully developed yet.

Respectfully Rick Duncan