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Reasonable men and women, those above me, entrusted with authority and power, thank you for your time. In the name of God and the lord Jesus Christ I would like to appeal to you not to pass this act LD1619. There is a God to whom we all must answer, we rail against this, we fight it in our conscience, we wave away his presence. But the miracle of creation and the complexity and design of life bears witness to our conscience that there is a God and that there is a maker. It is not to the people of the United States to whom you have to answer, but to God, and to his son the Lord Jesus Christ. Therefore, on behalf of Christ, who died to pay for our transgressions, which can only be forgiven in whom, on behalf of him, I ask you not to proceed. You will answer on the day you stand before God, you will answer him and him only as to why you chose what you did. It is before him that you will answer. For the sake of conscience therefore, do not proceed. Abortion is nothing short of murder, it is the ending of a human life. Your conscience knows this, it isn't necessary to drag on in detail about what is understood already about heart beats and brain activity. So for the sake of your own conscience and your own life and your own soul, do not proceed. We have all done evil things, this is an evil thing, there is no one who is exempt. We have all fallen short of the standard which God has called us to. Your conscience knows this, the thoughts and deeds no one else knows but you, do not add this, and don't harden your hearts against justice. Jesus, the son of God, died so that we might be forgiven, and rose from the dead to justify before God those who turn from evil and believe in him. Turn to him and receive life, and do not take life, with a word, or a pen, for their blood will be charged to you, and their blood will be on your own head. I submit this then as to reasonable men and women with consciences. I have prayed for you, for your salvation, there are others praying for you, not only that you will spare the lives of children and do what's right, but that you might be reconciled to God. Thank you for your time, turn to Christ and live, turn from the evil desires of the people of this nation who are without God and perishing. Thank you.

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