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LD 780

Senator Carney, Representative Moonen, and Members of the Judiciary Committee, I'm Sara Ostrov, I live in Falmouth, ME, and I urge you to vote Ought to Pass on LD 780.

It's a human right to have the freedom to decide what happens to one's own body. As a Mainer I support the continuing protection of human reproductive rights. A constitutional amendment would assure that Mainers' reproductive rights will be protected in the future. I believe that reproductive rights are human rights and by passing a constitutional amendment those rights will not be subject to change in an election year. Our elected leaders and lawmakers are obligated to pass this legislation, LD 780, Senator Vitelli's bill, so that Maine voters have the opportunity to vote directly on this issue. As it stands now reproductive rights in Maine are protected by laws. Those laws can be changed. These rights need to be enshrined in the state constitution that would explicitly state that reproductive rights are fundamental human rights and not subject to political shifting winds.

Please vote Ought to Pass on LD 780. Thank you.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Sara Ostrov". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

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