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Dear Judiciary Committee,

We are writing to urge you to amend the Maine State Constitution to ensure that all Maine women have the freedom and dignity to choose the options that they know are best for their own health care, including abortion.

Decisions about one's health care are, after all, highly personal and intimate and, by all rights, should be made by the woman herself. It is her body, her personhood, that is in question. We are women of a certain age who have seen this fundamental human right granted to American women and then, tragically, removed in other parts of the country. This is unacceptable.

A constitutional amendment would give us confidence that this right is irrevocable and beyond the vagaries of politics here in Maine.

Sincerely,

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