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LD 2007

Dear Members of the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary,

My name is Astrid Bowlby. I live at 766 Veterans Highway in Brooks, 04921, in Waldo County. I write to in support of LD2007: An Act to Advance Self determination for Wabanaki Nations. I am not sure what to write that isn't utterly obvious as to why I would support this act. I want every human being to have the right to self determination. I also want to be proud of Maine and how we treat each other. I wish for the first nations of our state to be treated as other federally recognized indigenous peoples are treated and accorded the same rights, freedoms, and support. Why? Because it's the right thing to do.

I respectfully submit this testimony to you and thank you for your time.

Sincerely,

Astrid Bowlby