Robert Leathers Brewer LD 227

Senator Bailey, Representative Perry and members of the Legislative Health Coverage, Insurance and Financial Services Committee, I am Robert Leathers, I live in Brewer, Maine and I am here to testify strongly against LD 227, An Act Regarding Health Care in the State.

Maine should not now or ever be a landing zone for out of staters to get free abortions or gender reassignment procedures, including medications designed to alter the normal biology of an individual.

Therefore, I strongly urge the committee to reject this bill and get it in the garbage where it belongs as rapidly as possible.

Maine has many more pressing issues with healthcare that should be addressed, such as the fact the Maine care system is still down from the cyber attack nearly two weeks ago, an opioid overdose epidemic and an aging population that will be falling out of the paying for everyone else workforce.