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Senator Carney, Representative Kuhn and Honorable Members of the Joint Standing Committee Judiciary.

Thank you for the opportunity to address the Committee.

My name is Lyn Mayewski. I'm a resident of Brooklin and am here on behalf of myself.

I believe that all humans should be equal under our State Constitution. At this time, the Maine Human Rights Commission is responsible for handling sex discrimination cases, but is not mandated to hear all. A state ERA would broaden the scope for the MHRC to more fully do its job.

Thank you for the opportunity to share my perspective with the Committee. I urge you to vote "Ought to Pass" on LD260.

Thank you.