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LD 143

Senator Baldacci, Representative Meyer, and Members of the Joint Standing Committee on Health and Human Services:

I am writing in OPPOSITION to LD 143 (SP 79), "An Act to Improve Women's Health and Economic Security by Funding Family Planning Services."

The title of LD 143 - as well as the use of an innocuous-sounding term like "Family Planning Services" - is SO misleading.

Let's talk plainly. ABORTION is the chief money-maker. Why should more taxpayer dollars - \$12.36 million over two years! - be allocated to fund more abortion?

Taxpayer funds should be invested in families and communities, not in the abortion industry.

I urge a resounding NO vote on LD 143. Thank you.