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Senator Carney, Representative Kuhn and Honorable Members of the Committee,

Thank you for the opportunity to share with the committee. My name is Marissa Armitage and I'm a resident in York, Maine. I am a teacher and a mom of two young daughters. I am writing today in support of LD1126.

Serialization of a firearm is a simple, effective and important way to keep our communities safe in Maine. Serialization is a widely accepted and supported process and is a way to ensure the safety of our law enforcement. The background checks that accompany the serialization process is equally as important. There's really no legitimate reason for someone to want to avoid serialization and a background check.

Thank you for the opportunity to share my perspective with the Committee. I urge you to vote "Ought to Pass" on LD1126.

Thank you,

Marissa McCue Armitage