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LD 986

Testimony in support of LD 986 to the Judiciary Committee March 24, 2025. Senator Carney, Representative Kuhn, and distinguished members of the Committee:

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Our felony murder bill must be abolished, as it has been in other states. No one should be imprisoned for murder when it is known that no murder occurred. Worst, a potential felony murder charge may easily be used as a coercive threat for a plea by DAs, occurring without indigent legal support, and its use shows racial bias. Please support LD 986. Thank you.