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## LD 217

### Education and Cultural Affairs

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*“An Act to Require Schools to Provide Access to Free Condoms for Students in Grade 9 to 12 in the School Nurse’s Office”*

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Presented by Representative Janice S. Dodge, Democrat – Belfast, and 8 Dems and one – I

April 12, 2025

### TESTIMONY BY

## Steven C. Sheppard

**(USN VETERAN ET3/REPUBLICAN CANDIDATE FOR GOVERNOR OF MAINE 2026)**

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WHEN I WAS YOUNG IN HIGH SCHOOL DOWN IN LAURENS, SOUTH CAROLINA BACK IN 1984-1985, I HAD MY FIRST SEXUAL EXPERIENCE THE 10<sup>TH</sup> GRADE YEAR. I SHOULD HAVE USED A RUBBER/CONDOM BUT I DID NOT- (I SIMPLY “PULLED OUT”)



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USING A CONDOM WHEN YOU ARE YOUNG IS MUCH MORE SATISFYING. USE CONDOMS AND FOAM IF YOU HAVE ENOUGH NERVE, TALENT AND RESPONSIBILITY. I WOULD RECOMMEND THE NURSES INCLUDE “FOAM” FOR THE GIRLS. FOAM HELPS ENJOY THE SEX/LOVE AT THE YOUNG AGES.

WHEN A YOUNG MAN LOVES A YOUNG WOMAN, HE NEEDS TO FEEL HER AND HAVE SEX WITH HER NATURALLY. CONTROLLING TEENAGE PREGNANCY IS IMPORTANT. FINANCIAL PROBLEMS EXIST FOR A LOT OF FAMILIES NOW MORE THAN EVER. “PULLING OUT” AND “LEAVING IN” ARE IMPORTANT SLANG THAT NEEDS TO BE MANAGED PROPERLY. “LEAVING IN” THE PENIS WILL SOMETIMES BE IRRESPONSIBLE AND HAVING “UNKNOWN” REPERCUSSIONS FOR YOUNG MEN THAT HAVEN’T BEEN GROOMED/INSTRUCTED BY THEIR FATHERS PROPERLY.

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The young men here in Maine have a lot to look forward to as men. Those of you that fall in love will enjoy the sex and conception and childbirth. Going to triage and going through pregnancy is beautiful when you are in love with a woman. I believe in love; and I believe in lust.

Lust needs to be controlled better when lovers don't want to have a baby like some of the other pairs.

I totally understand the social phenomenon of sex. Sex is wonderful, exotic, magical and most importantly expensive when you start having children.

Young people in high school need to manage their love/lust with foam and condoms. My ex wife Lisa used foam a lot; we enjoyed sex because we loved each other at one time.

You will find that condoms need a lot of lubricants; they rub girls/young woman raw sometimes.

I have plenty of experience to know that foam works better for lovers.

Rubbers/condoms work, but they need lube. This is fact.

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