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LD 104

As a Maine medical caregiver, I oppose the passage of LD104. Both testing and tracking requirements of cannabis production have flaws. The flaw to start is that both exist as requisite, therefore establishing monopoly. Also, the systems are not flawless in either testing or tracking since much more research and development are needed. Perhaps efforts and resources can be given to "research & development" for both "testing & tracking". More reliable testing methods considered and developed could be explored for accuracy and even on-site testing that is dependable, With redefinition of "organic" vs. "synthetic" standards for testing. Tracking systems can be improved to be less time-consuming and more user friendly. Both the testing and the tracking as requisite, create monopolies in these services with no choice given. At least multiple-choice approach for these services. I do believe in and ask for further R&D for both testing/tracking and to please remove the monopolization from both systems.