Mary Finn Wiscasset LD 868

Senator Carney, Representative Kuhn and members of the Judiciary Committee: My name is Mary Finn and I live in Wiscasset. I submit this as a member of the Midcoast Unitarian Universalist Fellowship in Damariscotta Maine and MUUSAN. Our Unitarian Universalist faith values the worth and dignity of every person. I believe these LDs should not become law because banning trans children from sports is harmful to all women and girls, and discriminates against children, and is against the law.

I have a trans young adult who I deeply love. His public-school teachers and school community were very supportive of him during his years as an adolescent. This made all the difference to him and our family. He is now living his own authentic life as a kind, gregarious, loving person, working full time and contributing to society and his community. We are grateful to all his teachers, counsellors and school family who helped us along the way and his ability to participate in all school programs that were offered to him.

I urge you to vote ought not to pass on LDs 233, 868, 1002, 1134 and 1704.

Sincerely, Mary Finn