Lucie Bauer Rockport LD 1337

Senator Carney, Representative Kuhn, and members of the Judiciary Committee:

My name is Lucie Bauer. I am a resident of Rockland and I am testifying in opposition to LD 1337. I submit this testimony as a member of my Unitarian Universalist faith tradition, which affirms and promotes justice, equity and compassion in human relations and the inherent worth and dignity of every person. I am a member of the First Universalist Church in Rockland and of MUUSAN, the Maine Unitarian Universalist Network which embodies these values.

As a person of faith, as a former Chair of the Board of New Hope Midcoast, a domestic violence project, and volunteer on New Hope's first crisis line, and as a retired educator, I believe that LD 1337 should not become law. Trans-women are not a threat to female athletes nor to other women.

I urge you to vote Ought Not to Pass on LD 1337.

Thank you, Lucie Bauer