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My name is Judith Melcher-King and I am a resident of Brunswick. I write this testimony as a member of the Government Working Group of Brunswick Area Indivisible to support LD 1383.

The State of Maine has maintained an overall commitment to not only support the health and quality of life of residents but also the environment through investing in renewable resources.

LD 1383 addresses where Maine invests her money. I feel it is really important for our State to look at where and with whom we make our investments. To make a commitment to make sure these are not investments in any entity that supports genocide or war.

We urge the State of Maine to lead the way envisioning peace and human rights Stop investing in those companies , for example , that are involved in arms manufacture and surveillance technology.

We urge Maine to invest in entities that support peace and human rights. Maine has led the way in other areas and can lead in this as well as be an example to other States. This can be achieved thru a slow study of just where we invest our State's money.

Please pass this bill.