

Committee on Judiciary

Testimony

IN SUPPORT

LD 2106 An Act to Prohibit the Disclosure of Nonpublic Records Without Proper Judicial Review

Jacquelyn Elliott | January 29, 2026

Chair Senator Anne Carney, Chair Representative Amy Kuhn, and Honorable Committee Members:

Thank you for the opportunity to provide testimony **IN SUPPORT of LD 2106 An Act to Prohibit the Disclosure of Nonpublic Records Without Proper Judicial Review.**

My name is Jacquelyn Elliott and I live in North Waterboro, Maine. I am 82 years old and astounded as I witness what is happening to our neighbors who are experiencing the terrifying overreach of those ostensibly charged with executing the law. These are our neighbors who in many instances, have risked everything and in desperation have sought to establish lives of hope for themselves and their families in a country that says that is possible. Life where our founding documents tout all are created equal and protected by the Constitution and Bill of Rights. Those charged with protecting those rights are instead abusing those rights and instituting fear and chaos in our communities.

LD 2106 has been introduced and would ensure proper judicial review of ICE operations in Maine. It would prevent ICE from conducting immigration enforcement in schools, hospitals and healthcare facilities, daycares, and libraries unless they acquire a valid judicial warrant. LD 2106 would also prevent ICE from obtaining private records in the event they illegally enter nonpublic areas of these spaces.

Every Mainer, regardless of immigration status, should be able to attend school, go to a doctor's appointment, or simply visit their local library without fear or the threat of intimidation from ICE. This is the function of a humane government and society constrained by just laws.

Thank you for considering my comments. Please vote **OUGHT TO PASS ON LD 2106.**

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