

Senator Carney and Representative Mooney, Honorable members of the Joint Standing Committee of the Judiciary, my name is Martha Moyer, I am a resident of Waterville. I am here today in opposition to LD1619. *Also LD 776 and LD 1343,*

I object to Maine citizens being lied to concerning changing the abortion laws. Governor Mills in her reelection debates said she was not going to pursue changing the restrictions for abortions in Maine. Yet just a few months later she is encouraging legislation that would expand the availability of abortions, and take away protections for the unborn babies.

Pro -abortion advocates say they are advocating for women. Yet this proposed law will not prosecute those who perform abortions, when they are not licensed to do so. Does that show concern for a women's health? Are we opening up choices to back- alley abortions?

With this proposed legislation there is more concern and protection for baby eagles than there are for human babies.

Please vote ought not to pass.

Thanks for your time.