

Madam/Mister Chair & Honorable Members of the Judiciary Committee,

My name is Aaron Husek and I live in Bangor. I am a parent of 1 daughter and I am testifying today in opposition of [LD #1619].

I am testifying because if this bill is passed my daughter later in life or anyone else deciding to get an abortion, could go to someone that is not reputable and isn't properly licensed by the state and having no consequence against them. It would be like me if I didn't have a drivers license and was pulled over for a traffic infraction and having no consequence for not having one.

Also, changing to the discretion of the Healthcare provider, and taking away, the previously stated, preserve the life of the mother, leaves it wide-open for the possibility of legalized murder of a baby that could possibly otherwise live.

Our own governor Janet Mills stated she felt Maine's law didn't need to be changed and now this. It is wrong, it is Immoral, the law as it is now doesn't need to be changed. I urge you to not let it pass. Thank you.