

COMMENT SHEET

To the Joint Standing Committee on Judiciary
131st Maine Legislature
Public Hearing
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Please feel free to indicate your position on each bill by circling no more than one position below each bill title.

LD 1619	LD 776	LD 1343
An Act to Improve Maine's Reproductive Privacy Laws	RESOLUTION, Proposing an Amendment to the Constitution of Maine to Establish the Right to Bodily Autonomy	An Act to Protect the Reproductive Freedom of Maine People by Preempting the Field of Abortion Regulation
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Support• <u>Oppose</u>• Neither	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Support• <u>Oppose</u>• Neither	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Support• <u>Oppose</u>• Neither

Additional comments:

I have had family and some friends that have had abortions and ~~every~~ everyone that have had them, had struggled with guilt, shame and suicide thoughts and feelings because they knew it was murder or realizing that their fetuses were a child. (children) Some of my friends still take antidepressants pills for their depression or oppression for taking a life. Children are a gift from God, for we ~~are~~ were created in His image, male + female. I AM FOR LIFE, NOT DEATH!

Thank you for taking the time to comment.

Mary R. Paulin