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Opposition of LD227

Senator Bailey, Representative Perry, and members of the committee,

My name is Amanda Schrader and I am here to speak in opposition to this bill.

I have been hearing a theme among the people here in Maine and it is summed up to this, "Voices are not being heard".

I am here to speak especially for the children who are not being protected and their voices are being ignored. The sexual abuse among our innocent is staggering. My town has had the death of a child as well as children that we continue to try to protect and nothing is done. How are we to be a sanctuary when our own children are not safe?

This last minute, 21 page preposterous bill is a slap in the face to the suffering children in the state of Maine that the government has left behind.

Please vote ought not to pass.