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Dear Committee Members,

I want to first state my opposition to the wording of LD 1426 as it stands now, and would like to see the portion that includes homeschool families from this bill.

Homeschooling should not be publicly funded as this allows the same problems that perpetuate public school oversight into the realms of many homeschool families. Current status of homeschool families in the state of Maine has been exceptional for generations and need not be complicated by allowing this bill to segue itself into more government oversight into a parents right to choose and implement a homeschool structure.

I am however in support of the rest of the bill as it stands. And would just like an amendment made that removed homeschool and home instruction from this bill.

Thank you,  
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