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LD 227

Dear committee members,

As a resident of the state of Maine, I need to make my voice heard in OPPOSITION to bill LD227.

There are so many objectionable items present, including the lack of transparency to Maine citizens even having access to the 21 page amendment, to this bill at a time when public hearing is taking place, and even afterwards. There are many illegalities present in this amendment which will promote kidnapping of minors to be taken to Maine for what is NOT “healthcare” in the minor’s best interest. It strips parents of their parental rights and will (hopefully) draw lawsuits for the state from these parents. Also, who are these “healthcare” providers? From where are they coming to Maine to provide this “healthcare”. We already have a horrendous abortion law in place; why has that been added to this bill?

These are just a few reasons to not allow this bill to come before the legislature, and I implore you to listen to my, and the MANY other peoples’, reasons who are in opposition of this bill, around the state.

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