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Dear Health and Human Services Committee Members,
I am writing to you today to encourage you to oppose LD 819, "An Act to Reduce Lung Cancer Rates in Maine by Requiring Testing for and Mitigation of Radon in Residential Buildings by Landlords". I am in opposition of this bill as, I feel, testing every 10 years is often enough. Radon is a gas that is emitted from the earth's core and based on the movements of the earth, foundation and building can sometimes build up in concentrations within buildings. These types of changes do not happen over night, and a 10 year maintenance schedule of testing is adequate to keep everyone safe.