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Dear Senator, Representative and Honorable Members of the Health and Human Services Committee, we urge you vote no regarding LD 1601 To establish an advisory board to study the implications of genome-editing technology for Maine citizenry. This sounds like a Pandora's Box with potential for human and environmental abuses. Meddling in this genetic alteration of how we as humans were made is ghastly and unacceptable. We believe this is a Bill Gates type of plan, perhaps with good intention, yet potential to be catastrophic while playing "God" with living beings, especially human beings. Please vote no, as the risks outweigh the benefit. Thank you for your time and bended ear.  
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