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Dear Senator Claxton, Representative Meyer, and esteemed committee members,

I am writing in support of LD 867 to stop the mandate of the Covid 19 vaccine for 5 years so that scientific studies can be conducted.

I am a Certified Athletic Trainer (ATC) and have personally witnessed an adverse effect of the Covid 19 vaccine shot.

In May 2021 I was working at a local high school and one of my softball athletes was having trouble breathing and was taken to the Emergency room. At first her parents were told it was heart inflammation and after further testing she was diagnosed with a spontaneous pneumothorax. She was a healthy 18 year old and the ER doctors said it was most likely caused by the Covid shot she had 4 weeks earlier.

I have been an ATC for 32 years and have never had an athlete with a pneumothorax even in all the collision sports I have covered.

Having to watch my athlete struggle with this trauma after the Covid shot helps me support LD 867 so we can get more scientific information about this experimental treatment.

Thank you for your time.

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