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LD 998

Honored members of the Judiciary Committee,

My name is Lewis Corriveau, and I am a proud lifelong citizen of the great state of Maine. I reside in the town of Sidney where I am a two-term selectboard member. I will keep my testimony short as I remember from the prior testimonies, I have submitted that you are all very busy and your time is valuable.

Today I am writing to you to request LD998 "An Act Regarding an Employer's Authority to Prohibit an Employee from Storing a Firearm in the Employee's Vehicle" receive an "Ought to Pass" from the committee.

This bill would remove the requirement of needing a concealed carry permit to safely store a firearm in your personal vehicle while at work. This would bring the law-abiding citizen utilizing Maine's Constitutional Carry law on par with citizens who have a concealed carry permit. There should be no difference between the two when it comes to the safe storage of a firearm.

The responsibility of a law-abiding firearm owner should be the sole factor for safe firearm storage not a laminated card.

For this reason, I request LD998 be sent through committee with an "Ought to Pass" designation.

Thank you for your time,
Lewis Corriveau