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I recommend the legislature Ought not to Pass this bill.

Main Concerns:

- Discriminates against transgender girls and women.
 - Denies access to school sports and facilities that affirm students' identities.
- Violates the Maine Human Rights Act's protections based on gender identity.

Key Talking Points:

- Transgender girls are girls. Exclusion is not fairness—it's discrimination.
- Maine Human Rights Act ensures equal access to public education and facilities.
- There is no evidence that inclusive policies endanger cisgender students.
 - Schools already manage inclusion and fairness through thoughtful, local policies.
 - Participation in sports and access to school facilities promote well-being, belonging, and confidence.