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LD 2106

To the Judiciary Committee:

I am writing testimony in support of LD# 2106, An Act to prohibit the Disclosure of Nonpublic Records Without Proper Judicial Review. This is due for hearing before the Judiciary Committee on 1/29/26 at 1 pm.

I am particularly concerned with the increase in ICE activity in Maine given the nationwide incidents of lawlessness that have included home entry without a warrant, the execution of American protesters and the deportation of individuals, including American citizens, without due process, based solely on the color of their skin. ICE and CBP are without competent leadership and training and Maine must set limits on their overreach with law.

As a family nurse practitioner of 45 years, I support protecting medical records and patients from ICE actions, and as a former school board member of 16 years, I am concerned that ICE should not be allowed to enter schools and obtain student records. As a mother and compassionate human, I believe child care facilities, day cares and libraries also need protection. If I had written the bill, I would have added grocery stores and places of worship. This is a chance for Maine, like Minnesota, to fight for what is right and to protect ourselves and our neighbors.

I urge you to support LD 2106. Thank you.

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