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LD 1496

LD 1496 - An Act to Prohibit Noncompete Clauses HP951 LINDA HASKELL,
GARLAND, MAINE TESTIMONY in opposition to LD1496

Mr. Speaker, Senators and Representatives; This Act would destroy any business that is operating to prosper and support the economy that runs this State of Maine. I can only imagine the individuals proposing this Act do not have any business background or working expertise in commerce and trade, and probably have never owned and operated a successful entity/business which has or does employ workers. The Laws, that would be scrutinized by this Act, have been put in place to protect the proper operations of business and organized firms. Which supports the development of a more equitable productive work environment for the State of Maine. The original Laws and Acts which have supported the community for Commerce have survived due to the fair trade and commerce, We the People can not let groups with self involved financial greed, let our system be violated or allow legislators be lobbied to accommodate such underhanded legislation. The original Act for Noncomplete Clauses was to protect the business operations we have to support our communities and state. It requires a depth of strength intelligence, initiative, self discipline, hard work and devotion to establish ones own business, firm or organization to keep it operating at a functional economic level. That is why these Noncomplete Clauses were put in place, to support economy and community. The dismissal of the Noncompleted Clauses would be allowing business practices and procedures to be "stolen" from the foundation of the business.

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