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LD 1383

My name is Katherine Ide and I am a resident of Manchester, Maine. I am writing in support of LD 1383.

As taxpayers, we entrust the state with public funds to serve the common good of its people. Those funds should only ever be used in ways that respect and uphold human rights. This bill will ensure that public resources are not used to support practices that undermine that value.

Furthermore, this bill would reinforce public trust in state governance by making clear that Maine will not be complicit in harm or discrimination, and that our policies are guided by ethical standards and fiscal responsibility. I urge the committee to vote ought to pass on LD 1383.

Thank you,
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