Dave Miramant Maine Senate

Good Morning Sen. Luchini, Rep. Ciazzio and members of the Veterans and Legal Affairs Committe.

I am Senator Dave Miramant representing Senate District 12, Knox County except for the Town of Washington.

I support this bill and the efforts of our state medical marijuana program. These folks have made our program a model for states as they recognize the benefits of medical marijuana.

I have been studying the program for years after hearing how it was helping folks after years of doctors and hospitals prescribing harmful and ineffective drugs for conditions that were quickly resolved by medical marijuana treatment.

As Senate Chair of the Maine Marijuana Policy Advisory Committee, I hear many stories of the success of both the treatment and the professionalism of the business model and want to give them the tools to make it even better.

Thank you for you consideration and I will try to answer any questions.