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LD 881- An Act To Make Technical Changes to the Maine Medical Use of Marijuana Act

Dear Members of the Veterans and Legal Affairs Committee,

My name is Samantha Brown from South Berwick. I am opposing LD 881.

I am testifying as a parent of a child patient with a pharmaceutical resistant catastrophic seizure condition. I support patient access to their caregivers and I support small business.

I disagree that lowering the height of seedlings, after something we just recently fought for is fair. Please leave it alone.

I strongly disagree that a license structure for retail stores needs to be established. It is already in statute that gives caregivers this legal right. This bill would not only take that right away from caregivers, it would leave it up to OMP to decide who gets to open a retail store, and frankly, they have done enough damage with the new proposed rules. This also will double the licensing fees for caregivers who wish to open a storefront. This is ridiculous.

That concludes my testimony on LD 881.

Thank you for your time,

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