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LD 104

Hello my name is David Stephenson. My wife and I are the owners of Hazy Hill Farm. We have 3 children that we support with our cannabis businesses. Our mission is to provide the best quality cannabis products we possibly can for our customers and patients. I am also an owner at High Peak Edibles where we make hand crafted edibles for both the AU and the medical market. I am one of the first caregivers in the state dating back to 2010. I own a medical dispensary, an AU store, 2 AU processing licenses, and a AU cultivation license. Between both companies we have 40 employees with about 20 of those supporting families of their own. I am also a proud member of the Maine Craft Cannabis Association.

-I do not support LD 104. This bill would require small batch caregivers to test their products like the flawed AU program. The small scale cannabis caregiver can not afford unnecessary testing of this kind. This bill would put many more Mom and Pop operations out of business and would only benefit large scale multi state corporations. Maine has one of the best medical cannabis programs in the country due to its large, diverse cottage industry and reasonable regulations. Please do not support this bill but instead support our Maine caregivers.