

Members of the North Dakota Senate Judiciary Committee,

My name is Erica Lierz and I reside in Williston, within District 23. Please consider this as my testimony. I'm a mother of 3 beautiful kids. Ages; 7,9, and 10. It is my belief that our youth are our most precious resource. The English dictionary defines a precious resource as being valuable, and that it shouldn't be wasted or used badly. It is imperative that we protect our youth from the gross maltreatment that is becoming the new normal. It is simple; subjecting kids to such vulgar materials will produce a future society that's lacking healthy morals and ethics. I ask that you please PASS senate bill 2123 to keep North Dakota's youth safe, innocent, and morally sound.

Thank you,

Erica Lierz