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*My name is Susan Draper and I reside in District 1, of Williston, ND I am asking that you please render a DO PASS on House Bill 1522. I am speaking on behalf of myself and daughter, who has experienced a transgender in the woman's bathroom at her high school. While the transgender was in the woman's restroom the transgender made a comment "eww, it smells like fish in here, you girls stink". This is not something that girls should have to defend or hear from another sex. This made all the girls in the restroom uncomfortable.*

*My male student shouldn't not have to worry if a transgender is going to walk in the restroom while urinating in a urinal that they may take offense or report him for sexual harassment for peeing. If students don't feel comfortable in the bathrooms that they use this could lead to medical conditions in the future.*

*Thank you for your consideration of this important matter and for your service to the state of North Dakota.*

*Susan Draper*