I am writing to strongly encourage you to support HB 1301. This bill is a steppingstone and will provide a gateway to prevent future vaccine/immunization mandates as a condition of employment. Many healthcare facilities already mandate flu vaccination as a condition of employment.

I feel these administrators are following the recommendation from federal entities (CDC and WHO) and taking these recommendations at face value and are not following through on due diligence to ensure vaccine safety for their employees.

There is very extensive research and information available surrounding vaccine/immunization injury. Unfortunately, the CDC and WHO continue to disregard this proven fact and move forward on profitable agendas.

Vaccines are pharmaceutical products that can unpredictably cause injury and death for both healthy and susceptible individuals. Congress and the U.S. Supreme Court have declared federally licensed and recommended vaccines to be "unavoidably unsafe" and shielded drug companies and vaccine providers from vaccine injury lawsuits in civil court. Under the 1986 National Childhood Vaccine Injury Act, \$3.5 billion dollars in federal compensation has been awarded for vaccine injuries and deaths caused by federally recommended and state mandated vaccines, although two out of three plaintiffs are denied compensation and most vaccine injury awards today are for adults injured by influenza vaccine.

Upon reading through the proposed HB 1301, there is language written in to protect the employer from liability and civil lawsuits from employees. I fully agree with this, but in contrary how can we protect employers from liability and civil lawsuits and NOT protect employees from harm or damage caused by a mandatory vaccine/immunization? The Act of 1986 shields vaccine manufacturers and medical personnel that administer vaccines to have full immunity from liability or civil litigation from vaccine harm or injury. This is clearly a double standard.

Despite vaccine science knowledge gaps, medical contraindications have been narrowed by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control (CDC) and medical trade associations so that no family medical history and almost no personal medical history or health condition qualifies for a medical vaccine exemption. This is another way to control the population and enforce a "soft" mandate on vaccines. It is extremely important to keep the language in Section 2, subset 3c "...does not object to the immunization for health, religious, and philosophical reasons." This allows employees a leg to stand on allowing personal choice, body autonomy, and true health freedom.

I would urge you to clarify and define the word "immunization" in this bill. Is the word immunization interchangeable with the word "vaccine?" This has significant importance as we move forward with public health laws.

I also urge you to NOT tailor this bill to only apply to the COVID vaccine. This bill does not represent only today's pressing issues, but rather to setting a precedence for future health freedoms in our state.

Respect for individual human life and liberty in public health policy and lawmaking prevents discrimination against vulnerable minorities and avoids the creation of a "tyranny of the majority," which ultimately compromises the integrity of what is being defined as the "common good."

Please review the following articles to broaden you view on vaccine safety and the incredible importance of supporting and passing HB 1301. Thank you for your time and I look forward to your response and views regarding HB 1301.

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https://articles.mercola.com/sites/articles/archive/2015/06/05/medical-vaccine-exemption.aspx?cid medium=etaf&cid=share

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Respectfully submitted as my support for HB 1301,

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