

Dear Members of the Senate Judiciary Committee,

My testimony is in opposition

to Senate Bill 1473. I ask that you give this bill a **Do Not Pass**.

Transgender athletes are not trying to go into restrooms and locker rooms to do harm to other people. They go into those changing rooms to change their clothes with people, not to look at people. It is not fair for a teenage transgender student who presents as female to change in a locker room full of cisgender males.

This bill is a waste of taxpayer time to micromanage the restrooms of school children. There are a lot more pressing things that the government should be dealing with, not deciding on new ways how to make transgender students life miserable.

Please,

consider not passing this dangerous piece of legislation; our children are counting on you.

Thank you for your time,

consideration, and service to our state

Best regards,

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