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Re: HB 2601

Dear Education Committee Members,

Our local health freedom group has four huge binders of CDC Info, Scientific studies, VAERS injury reports, testimonies from doctors and scientists about the dangers of vaccines, and...most damning of all...the vaccine insert information from the manufacturers' own mouths! If anyone can honestly tell me that, after actually reading even one of these binders full of substantial support for questioning vaccine safety, they still believe we parents have no valid concerns, I will place myself willingly into a conversation in which they may try to influence my stand on vaccines. In a free country, you do not mandate what I must believe, but must rely on the civilized power of influence, evidence, testimony, and respectful disagreement to sway me to your side of an argument! Until health department officials, lawmakers, and doctors are willing to demonstrate that they have taken into account a fraction of the material I and other concerned parents have no right to insert themselves into the decisions I make for my family's well-being.

You cannot, with any hope of being taken seriously, assert that

- the state has a greater interest in a child's health than his own parent;
- there is no scientific evidence that vaccines are unsafe;
- the CDC is protecting our health despite its close ties and financial interest in pharmaceutical companies;
- vaccine manufacturers are more concerned for the safety of products for which they have no liability than for profit;
- anti-vaxxers are uneducated reactionaries who rely on a swamp of unscientific misinformation for making decisions.

You are actually free to assert this nonsense, but in any one of these points can be quickly and easily dis-proven. It should shake your faith in these beliefs, if you hold them, that they are demonstrably baseless. If you go on to vote without discovering how utterly wrong you are, you are guilty of a culpable ignorance that may someday result in a backlash of civil suits against you for wrongfully using your position of trust to cause untold harm to the citizens of our state.

The growing body of evidence that vaccines are not only 'unavoidably unsafe' for the individual child, (acknowledged already by our government) but also are not doing the job for public health that keeps promoters willing to risk individuals in record numbers. You are in a position of trust and simply must not ignore this evidence.

Cutting-edge scientific understanding of the intricate dance of connection between brain inflammation and everything from Alzheimer's, autism, auto-immune diseases and mental health problems is finally catching up with what parents have known and experienced for the many years our vaccine experiment has been damaging their children: there is now unequivocal evidence that if you over-stimulate the immune system, inject or expose a child to toxic heavy metals, or in any other way cause systemic inflammation, you risk inciting the brain to begin its mirror-inflammation that results in a staggering array of neurological damage. Only just now has science begun to discover the role of microglial inflammation in so many modern ailments, but the vaccine inserts have always quietly admitted that 'neurological damage' was a potential side effect.

STOP any attempt to coerce parents, to force feed us these nightmare 'cures', to denigrate us as mental midgets, and to remove our God-given freedom to pursue our own health in ways that have proven healthy for many, many people over many, many generations!

I repeat my offer: I will gladly and respectfully open myself to the influence of any doctor, lawmaker, or public health official who will read the scientific evidence against vaccines and then come to argue with me. I will absolutely reject anyone who attempts to coerce, force, or bully me into changing my position on this issue. Do not be that person!

Sincerely, Charlotte Ostermann McLouth