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Testimony in Support of SB212

Chairman Hilderbrand and Senate Public Health and Welfare Committee Members –

Let's imagine the airline industry is run like the vaccine industry.

Before releasing the 737 Max, Boeing would have negotiated with Congress and the president to have zero liability if their new plane proved unsafe. They would have bypassed the necessary hours in the air to prove the aircraft was safe. The FAA would have allowed the aircraft into commercial use without proof of safety. Regardless of the number of injuries or deaths reported, the FAA (not Boeing) would place posters all around the airports that Airmaxx aircraft are safe and effective to get you to your destination. In return, Boeing would pay billions to a foundation established for the benefit of the FAA to promote travel on Airmax. Though the FAA is charged by congress to do ongoing safety inspections of the aircraft industry, they never do a single safety inspection of aircraft ever again. And the federal government would never request proof of safety.

Ladies and gentlemen, we would all say this is crazy but I am not exaggerating when I tell you that this is how the vaccine industry works. My description is only scratching the surface of the corruption in this industry. When liability protection was given to this industry in 1986 the CDC was mandated to do safety studies and report to congress twice a year. Guess how many safety studies and how many reports to Congress have there been? ZERO! What other industry has been given full liability and full access to the public mandates and intimidation with no accountability?

Congress has failed completely. But in Kansas you have the option to take accountability seriously, as you must, where zero liability has been granted. The KDHE, the state arm of the CDC, would like to tell you that there should be no accountability from you either. Ladies and gentlemen, it is way past time for accountability. What right does a zero liability industry have to bully you and us, the people of Kansas, and tell us to quit trying to hold them accountable? What other industry in our state could get away with this? This is madness. For the same reasons you recently voted to limit the authority of one governor to shut down Kansas, the KDHE also must have limited authority and be returned to legislative oversight. We have seen that where there is absolute power without accountability, the opportunity for absolute corruption and oppression is too risky to Kansans. Accountability MUST be restored to the KDHE this legislative session.

Respectfully and most sincerely,

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