

Subject: Testimony for SB 895-2 OPPOSED

Chair Roblan and members of the committee:

I am disappointed that Senator Steiner Hayward would insert amendments to her Senate Bill 895 less than 24 hours before the scheduled hearing, giving those opposed to this bill very little time to respond.

I have been studying the issues around vaccination daily for the last seven years, as my first grandchild is now 6 years old. I am quite educated about vaccines (more so than many physicians I have spoken with who learned very little about vaccines in medical school.) And I resent being asked to see a vaccine promoting health care practitioner in order to have them validate my desire to be exempt from the process.

I also do not appreciate Senator Steiner Hayward using community based school peer pressure as another layer of coercion to pressure my family to conform to the collective.

I have made a fully informed decision to decline mandated vaccines as the Constitution of the United States confirms I have a natural right to do. And my informed refusal is also protected by the Nuremberg Code.

Sincerely,

Susan Jorg