I strongly oppose HB 3063 and urge you not to allow it out of committee.

I believe that this is taking away our medical freedom. No medical procedure should be forced when there are many known risks. One look through a vaccine insert will show you some of the risks that there are. Some may say the risks are low, but tell that to a family who has dealt with these "low risks." There are too many children and adults who have been vaccine injured and to take away exemptions is detrimental.

Mandating liability-free vaccines that have not been properly safety tested is in direct opposition to the first tenet of the Nuremberg Code: The voluntary consent of the human subject is absolutely essential. There have not been double-blind placebo-controlled studies on vaccines. Nor have the long-term effects of the current CDC schedule been studied. Our children deserve more.

I do not call consider myself anti-vaccine, I consider myself pro-science. I have vaccinated my children and have watched them experience some of those "low risks" on the vaccine insert. I have seen my daughter become so sickly during her first couple of years of life, only to be one of the healthiest kids I know once we stopped vaccinating her. The list of ingredients in vaccines is frightening and there are not enough studies showing that these ingredients are safe at the doses they are being given into our children. Taking away the option for medical exemptions from families who have watched their children suffer is extremely dangerous and is taking away our freedom.

Please, if you want to focus on the safety of our children, demand vaccine safety studies and make the manufacturers liable. We have the highest rates of infant mortality out of all developed nations, we MUST do better.

Thank you for your time. Mallory Crain