Dear Members of Ways and Means Subcommittee of Human Services,

Please oppose HB3063 because it violates the religious beliefs of people who value the rights of

the unborn. Below is a description of how a baby is aborted and used for the development in vaccines:

"For example, he talks about how in Sweden they have been puncturing the sac of a pregnant woman at let us say 14 to 16 weeks, and then they put a clamp on the head of the baby, pull the head down into the neck of the womb, drill a hole into the baby's head, and then put a suction machine into the brain and suck out the brain cells. And this is directly from his book. Healthy human fetuses from 7 to 21 weeks from legal abortions were used. This is in Sweden. The conception age was estimated from crown rump length and so on. Fetal liver and kidney were rapidly removed and weighed. Now at 21 weeks, what they were doing, or 18 weeks, or 16 weeks, was what is called prostaglandin abortions. They would inject a substance into the womb. The woman would then go into mini-labor and pass this baby. 50% of the time, the baby would be born alive, but that didn't stop them. They would just simply open up the abdomen of the baby with no anesthesia, and take out the liver and kidneys, etc." [23]

[23] http://www.vidahumana.org/english/family/harvesting.html; Conference on Love, Life and the

Family, Irvine, CA, April 6-10-1994

"This fetus was chosen by Dr. Sven Gard, specifically for this purpose. Both parents are known, and unfortunately for the story, they are married to each other, still alive and well, and living in Stockholm, presumably. The abortion was done because they felt they had too many children. There were no familial diseases in the history of either parent, and no history of cancer specifically in the families."

G. Sven, S. Plotkin, K. McCarthy, Gamma Globulin Prophylaxis; Inactivated Rubella Virus;

Production and Biological Control of Live Attenuated Rubella Virus Vaccines; Amer J Dis Child

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"In order to sustain 96% of the cells, the live tissue would need to be preserved within 5 minutes of the abortion"-Dr. C. Ward Kischer

-[Dr. C. Ward Kischer, Embryologist and Emeritus Professor of Anatomy; Specialist in Human Embryology,

University of Arizona College of Medicine (Tucson, Arizona) Personal interview 7-02, ALL Conference]

As a born again Christian, I strongly object to the use of aborted fetal tissue in vaccines. God created us to be holy and set apart for His Glory. He also gave parents the right to govern their children and NOT the government and we will not allow anyone to violate our right to hold our convictions.

Sincerely

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