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On Behalf Of:
Committee: House Committee On Judiciary
Measure: HB4146

As a confidential DV advocate I respectfully ask that you please support this bill to close a loophole in the current law prohibiting the dissemination of sexually explicit images without permission to harass victims. Revenge porn subjects its victims to significant psychological and physical harm, the impacts of which can be severe.

Closing the loophole to ensure better protection for victims and increased accountability for perpetrators is important public policy.

We also support expanded access to protective orders to allow filing in the county in which the abuse occurred, to ensure access to safety for all who need it.

Please help us support Survivors in the community with this bill.

Thank you for your time