Submitter: Shay Braden

On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Judiciary

Measure: HB4146

Dear House Committee,

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.

Thank you for your time!