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Bill Number: Bill HCR5019
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In Opposition Testimony: Written Only

Dear Chairman Barker and members of the House Federal and State Affairs Committee:

I am writing to voice my opposition to HCR5019.

In April, 2019, the Kansas Supreme Court ruled that the Kansas Constitution protects an individual's right to make his/her own decisions regarding his/her own body. Kansas lawmakers should not be allowed to dictate a medical decision that is between a loving couple and their doctor, including the choices a family might make concerning a pregnancy.

I ask that you oppose HCR5019, which will infringe on the constitutional rights of Kansans.

Thank you for your consideration,

Prafulla Shintri