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To the Senate Public Health and Welfare Committee:

As you consider and debate SB 212 would you kindly consider this:

I am nearly 70 years old and I have lived with vaccine damage for almost 60 years. I suffer from an autoimmune disorder directly related to childhood vaccination. My parents lovingly did everything that was best for their children as they were advised by medical professionals. It just so happened the "best" ended up being the worst for me. And worse yet, I did not discover my health issues were due to vaccine injury until long after I had married and my own children- 2 out of 3 are suffering from vaccine injury as well! Our particular autoimmune disorder is Hashimotos. We are able to manage it with careful oversight and proper nutrition and interventions, but a lot of suffering could have been avoided.

I am a proponent of all citizens being able to make a choice for each one regarding their own bodies. Our children are at the mercy of many choices being made for them that can have huge life-long ramifications.

There currently exists a much lengthier and many more vaccinations schedule then when I was a child. I fear that without SB 212 and therefore without any over sight that KDHE can mandate many more! It is necessarily imperative to take this decision out of the hands of a single, unelected, biased official and back to the collective body of our elected legislators.

It honestly comes down to individual liberty and freedom. As sovereign citizens of the State of Kansas we should be free to make our own choices, and for goodness, sake, what is more precious than the choice one makes regarding their personal health and wellness?

SB 212 provides for just such freedom and liberty. Please bring this bill out for consideration by your entire body for the sake of the body of our citizenry.

Thank you so much.

Sincerely yours,

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