

March 18, 2021

RE: In support of SB212

Chairman Hilderbrand and Senate Public Health and Welfare Committee Members -

I am very worried and concerned about the vote on Monday for SB 212. Vote YES to take AWAY the authority from the KDHE Secretary of Health to add ANY additional vaccines to the required childhood vaccine schedules.

The Kansas Department of Health and Environment's (KDHE) Secretary of Health has no place in making these decisions for families. It is personal, and each family has to weigh their own health history and many other factors.

**This is the right of each family to decide for themselves.**

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