

What does the word "freedom" mean to you? It's a loaded question: Is it defined by choices, ways of life, speech? Or at its origin shouldn't it begin with your own body? We support this this Bill for one simple reason. It is vitally important that we know that there is no freedom without bodily autonomy.

What if... I have to show proof of a medical procedure in order to receive my paycheck?

Is that freedom? I have to show proof of a medical procedure in order to buy a loaf of bread? Is that freedom? I have to show proof of a medical procedure in order to enroll my child in a free and public education? Is that freedom? I show up to a sporting event and have to sit somewhere else based off my personal choices? is that freedom? To make the choices I best see fit after my child has been harmed by a pharmaceutical product? Is that my freedom?

Your decision is clear here. A vote against this bill is a vote against freedom. And at that point we should change the last line of our beloved National Anthem to "O'er the land of government mandates and the home of the once brave."

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