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Chairman Lipps, Vice Chair Holmes, Ranking Member Russo, and Members of the House Health Committee, thank you for the opportunity to provide proponent testimony on House Bill 248.

My name is Cheryl Regan and I am a mother and technology associate and I support House Bill 248. I support HB248 because I believe in freedom in the United States of America. Our constitution was created on the premise that all men are created equal. That's what makes America great. A vaccine passport will enforce a class system that says all men are not equal and some will enjoy greater privilege based upon their willingness to take a therapy provided by a pharma company. Right now we are faced with a Covid19 vaccine on a potential health passport. These vaccines are in Emergency Use Authorization status only and not fully approved by the FDA. My freedom in America should not be predicated on adoption of this trial vaccine. Nor should my freedom in America depend on the status of any vaccine. Where do we draw the line with this? Will the covid vaccine be the only health status tracked? What will ensure other health status items will not be on the health passport. Will we track who has AIDS, who has diabetes, who has hearth problems, who is obese? Where do we draw the line? Also, who will administer and track this information. My health

information is my private information. My doctor cannot even leave a voice-mail about my health condition without my consent, yet I am potentially going to have to show a hostess at a restaurant vital information about my personal health information to be seated to eat dinner? What if the information on my status is not correct? Who will manage this data to update it. Could a data entry error into a vax passport system prohibit me from getting a job or buying groceries for the week? Who is going to manage this data, how can we be confident it won't be leaked or breached to enable potential discrimination.

If the vaccine passport does not evolve, I am also opposed to vaccine status as decision criteria for anything we do in life: employment, dining out, grocery shopping etc. We cannot discriminate based upon a vaccine status in America to hold the basis of freedom in America true. Please pass HB248 to protect us from medical tyranny in Ohio.

Thank you once again for this opportunity to provide testimony on the need for and urgency of House Bill 248.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Cheryl Regan", written in a cursive style. The signature is positioned above the printed name "Cheryl Regan".

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