

SB 297 Proponent Testimony  
December 4, 2024

Chairman Manning, Vice Chair Reynolds, Ranking Member Hicks-Hudson, and Members of the Committee:

I'm here to speak about antisemitism and the crucial need for this Bill. My school was shockingly threatened by our security guard with guns and terrible antisemitism words, only because he did not like Jews. He was an Antisemite. The entire experience from hearing the threats, to coming to school the next day not sure whether or not I was safe adjusted my perspective on the world. This is not ok; this is not right. We as students should not have to be scared, nor feel unsafe coming to school every day or even walking through the streets on a normal day. The people shaking up the lives of all adults regardless of age should be shown this is not ok. Thank you for this opportunity to hear my opinion.

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