

# WITNESS INFORMATION FORM

Please complete the Witness Information Form before testifying:

Date: 12/9/24

Name: MARK D. STANSBERY

Are you representing: Yourself  Organization

Organization (If Applicable): \_\_\_\_\_

Position/Title: Citizen

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Do you wish to be added to the committee notice email distribution list? Yes  No

Business before the committee

Legislation (Bill/Resolution Number): SB297 HB816

Specific Issue: Opposition

Are you testifying as a: Proponent  Opponent  Interested Party

Will you have a written statement, visual aids, or other material to distribute? Yes  No

(If yes, please send an electronic version of the documents, if possible, to the Chair's office prior to committee. You may also submit hard copies to the Chair's staff prior to committee.)

How much time will your testimony require? 4 minutes

Please provide a brief statement on your position:

- 1) State of Ohio should stand against hate and intimidation (Acts are different than speech)
- 2) defining speech as legislation may defer from original intent and application
- 3) Does this legislation address hate acts occurring?
- 4) Application of legislation will increase jurisdictional and logistical challenges

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