

Chair Young, Vice Chair Ritter, Ranking Member Piccolantonio, and members of the House Workforce & Higher Education Committee,

Thank you for allowing me to submit this letter of testimony. My name is Susan Morgan. I was born in Ohio and have lived here most of my life. A college graduate of the University of Cincinnati. I founded and operated my marketing agency since 1996; still doing so, though I am now 73. As a college-educated single woman I am very much opposed to SB 1 and its companion bill HB 6. In fact, I'm appalled it has made it this far.

Emotions aside, we ALL recognize this would not be a GOOD thing for the State of Ohio. We need to attract and retain the best and the brightest talent. This bill will send them all scurrying to other states. We need young people to replace business-owners like me who took the risks and fought for opportunities. Let's pave the way for them to come here, stay here and start their businesses and grow their families here.

Thank you for allowing me to present this testimonial to you today. Please consider it and the others I know you're receiving by voting NO on this clearly discriminatory and harmful bill. It's the RIGHT thing to do to vote NO.
Thank you again for the opportunity to testify.

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