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 Kimberly Dillon and I am a stay at home mom/part time physical therapist in the hospital setting. The reason I support House Bill 248 is because it is a complete violation of my privacy and my medical, physical, emotional and spiritual health to be mandated to vaccinate against Covid 19. I am against this vaccine mandate for the following reasons: 1). This pandemic management has not followed science from day one. From constant contradiction in numbers, protocols and Democratic political agenda, I do not trust any recommendation from the government on how to "create a safe environment." 2) The CDC in the past has unlawfully and knowingly recommended medical treatment for conditions and used them as experimental data (i.e The Tuskagee Study) and they are not to be trusted. 3). The numbers of Covid cases and "variants" are simply untrue and the media would like nothing more than to continue their unprecedented ratings by creating fear. 4). The vaccine is not only experimental at this point, but the research is overwhelming that it is not effective, can cause weakened immune systems, auto immune responses, potentially creates Covid superspreaders, as well as changes the individuals' genetic make-up. Please see past the financial gains and evil motives and DO YOUR RESEARCH!! This vaccine will, by no means, "ensure the safety" of those in the workplace as is the common go-to response. There is no research that this vaccine has decreased the spread even if only 50% are already vaccinated. In fact, it's just the opposite. Please help me preserve my rights as a proud US citizen and fight the powers above.

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

Sincerely, Kimberly B. Dillon