Dear Members of the Senate Judiciary Committee, My testimony is in opposition to Senate Bill 1254. I ask that you give this bill a Do Not Pass. Transgender children are not undergoing surgeries to change their genders in North Dakota. Transgender children are cared for under the guidance of their parents and medical professionals. This bill is ridiculous and a waste of taxpayer money. Gender affirming healthcare can save lives. Sometimes living in the body that you were born into just does not feel right. This feeling can drive people to extremes and end in suicide. Please do not take away this life saving healthcare from the transgender children in North Dakota. Please, consider not passing this dangerous piece of legislation, vote DO NOT PASS Thank you for your time, consideration, and service to our state Best regards, Becky Craigo

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