My name is Lisa Pulkrabek from District 31. I am writing to you today regarding SB2274. Please recommend a DO PASS. I was hoping to be here in person today to stand before you to support this bill but my schedule would not allow me to do so.

North Dakotans need jobs and want to work to support their families. We understand that Covid is here to stay and the other viruses will probably come in the future. Some of us willingly take vaccines for such viruses and others of us know that the vaccines are dangerous to our health and refuse to take them. This is how the process should go, each person given a choice to take a vaccine or not. It is not right to force a person into taking a vaccine in order to keep a job or get a job. It is not right to require a "vaccine passport" or document proving vaccination. Do you remember HIPPA? It was all the rage in the past. Now employers are demanding to know if their employees have had a disease or a vaccination against it. Whatever happened to privacy?

Covid is here, but it has mutated so many times that the vaccines are a shot in the dark guess hoping to get the next strain right. They are not effective and they are dangerous. Requiring a person to prove they have had a vaccine is requiring them to get a vaccine, it is the same thing. We still have bodily autonomy given to us by God. No government, employer, school or other agency has the right to take that away from anyone.

This bill is important now regarding covid and it is important for the future because we know that Pharmaceutical companies are currently working on dozens of vaccines for other known illnesses and future ones. Where does it stop? If in 2030 pharma needs a few billion dollars are they going to suggest to the government that such and such illness is an imminent killer and EVERYONE needs to get vaccinated against it? I wouldn't put it past them. Bill Gates has already predicted that the next virus will be worse. This madness must end here and now. The state of ND can lead the way for other states to protect the rights of their citizens.

I strongly urge you to render a DO PASS on this SB 2274 when it comes up for a vote in your committee. Thank you kindly! Lisa Pulkrabek