Monday, January 22, 2024

Dear MN House of Representatives Health Finance and Policy Committee members,

Thank you in advance for taking the time to read this shore note. My name is Steve Brown and my home is in Lake City, MN, district 20A. As a retiring dentist of over 40 years I am saddened by the thought of MN even considering such a move in health care practice. Health care is precisely that…caring for health and not looking for new ways to end it. Consideration of this bill for physician assisted suicide requires me to think of human life in a general way as thinking of taking away an individual’s life is in our world is called homicide, or murder. You would correctly assume that I am also totally opposed to abortion. Life is precious, not a commodity, and begins in the womb with a Creator’s plan in mind for all the days that he/she is given. I was raised to understand and now fully believe that there will be a time for each of us to stand before our Creator and give an account for our individual action or, lack of action. Rarely have I sent correspondence of this nature relating to topics such as this but now it is time for you to hear from voices like mine.

Laws were passed many, many years ago to preserve life and now we’re attempting to pass laws that take it away. Shame on us for even considering it! I am totally opposed to HF 1930/SF 1813 and ask you to please take the same stance!

Sincerely,

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