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**Subject:** Testimony on HB 5733

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**From:** Liz Lucas <lizlucas3@hotmail.com>  
**Date:** Sunday, February 10, 2013 7:14 PM  
**To:** Michael Dugan <mike@capitolconsultingct.com>  
**Subject:** Proposed Bill No. 5421

Dear Mr. Dugan,

Please accept this letter as support for the proposed bill no. 5733. I am not aware of any good reason why someone other than the funeral director, family member, guardian, government agency, or lawyer would need a copy of someone's death certificate. My family has been in the funeral business in Connecticut for over 75 years, I have worked for the family business and understand the sensitive nature of the document. There is personal information within the document that should not be allowed to be released to the public as it could cause serious harm and pain.

While the proposed bill is intended for minors I do believe it should be inacted for all ages.

I believe that the majority of our citizens here in Connecticut would be shocked to know that anyone can walk off the streets, pay the small fee and walk out with a copy of someone elses death certificate (I am aware the document they would recieve would not contain the decedents social security number).

Please communicate this on my behalf.

Kind Regards,  
Liz Lucas  
Newtown, Connecticut