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To Members of the Judiciary Committee:

We are in strong opposition to H.B. 7015 Public Act of Aid to Dying. This bill demonstrates a dangerous precedent as seen in the Netherlands where the legislation starts out with a compassionate cause only to progress into a suicidal option for a range of non terminal ailments. This legislation is not only a slippery slope but is unnecessary as well. Excellent palliative care can provide an adequate foundation for the treatment of terminal illnesses. Don't let this bill rob individuals of the sacredness of human life. Please defeat H.B. 7015

Sincerely,

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