

To whom it may concern:

My name is Bethany Bittenbender and my husband and I choose to homeschool our children as residents of Bristol, CT. I am writing to respectfully oppose Bill #SB 874 specifically Sec. 17 and Sec. 18. As parents of our children we are tasked with providing for our children physically, mentally and emotionally. This is a God-given task and responsibility that we, as their parents, are BEST at fulfilling. To require loving, nurturing parents to have to register in order to provide something as basic as education is not only insulting but also completely backwards in thinking. I ask you to please reconsider Sec. 17 and Sec. 18 of Bill #SB 874.

Thank you for your time.

Bethany Bittenbender