

Support for SB 113



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Please support and pass SB 113. I believe all people have a right to information about themselves. I am a social worker and work with adopted children. In my experience when adopted children know about their birth story and where they came from they have a stronger sense of self and are less likely to have difficulty as adults in society. I feel all adult adoptees should have access to their birth records and be able to know where they came from. Any information at all is very helpful to them feeling complete as people.

Thank you for your time in reading this short testimony.

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"With each child, the world begins anew....." ~Midrash