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From: Suzanne Sousa <suzanne.sousa3@gmail.com>
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To: House Health and Human Services Committee
Subject: Re: HB 6396 Against (bill # correction)

My apologies, in the title it should have read SB938 against.

On Mon, Jun 28, 2021, 12:36 PM Suzanne Sousa <suzanne.sousa3@gmail.com> wrote:

I am writing today in hopes to help prevent any bills passing to make the flavor ban a state law. I have worked with countless adults in helping them successfully switch from combustible cigarettes to nicotine vaping with the help of flavors in E-Liquid. I agree that nicotine vapes should be kept out of the hands of youth. It is illegal for anyone under the age of 21 to obtain or consume nicotine vape products already, so perhaps the responsibility should lie with the parents at some point. As a parent of a teenager, I have made sure to keep open communication when it comes to smoking, vaping, drugs and alcohol, because that is my responsibility as a parent. I do not call for bans on products that are illegal for my child to use in the first place. Thank you for taking the time to read my testimony.

Suzanne Sousa