

CALLS ON SB1440 (anti-trans binary sex bill)
Senate Judiciary Committee on
February 28, 2023

Call Senator Brent Taylor (Shelby County) at 615-741-3036.

Say: Senator Taylor, my name is _____ and I live in _____. Please, vote NO on Senate Bill 1440 in the Judiciary Committee on February 28. Ask hard questions about all the areas of the law that this definition of “sex” affects. What problem is it trying to solve? It will make life more difficult for transgender people in terms of nondiscrimination laws and access to identification documents. That will hurt people’s ability to secure housing and employment. The bill could entangle Tennessee in “full faith and credit” challenges if we do not properly recognize official documents from other states. Thank you.

Call Senator Dawn White (Rutherford County) at 615-741-6853.

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Call Senator Todd Gardenhire (Hamilton and Bradley Counties) at 615-741-6682.

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Call Senator Jon Lundberg (Johnson, Carter, and Sullivan Counties) at 615-741-5761.

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Call Senator Kerry Roberts (Cheatham, Dickson, Hickman, Humphreys, and Robertson Counties) at 615-741-4499.

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Call Senator John Stevens (Benton, Carroll, Gibson, Henry, Obion, and Weakley Counties) at 615-741-4576.

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