

I write to express my support for the passage of Taylor's Law. Drug and alcohol addiction is a curable disease that affects those from all walks of life. Many of us have friends and family who have recovered from this disease to lead happy and healthy lives. Those who profit from an addicted person's struggle by selling them controlled substances further the progression of this disease. Those profit from an addicted person's struggle by selling them dangerous controlled substances that cause death altogether deny an addicted person a chance for future redemption. They deny an addicted person the chance to leave their struggle behind and pursue a happy and healthy life in recovery.

The current state law prohibiting prosecution of illicit drug dealers for the deaths of their purchasers is both morally and legally inadequate. The passage of Taylor's Law will address this problem, discourage the sale of dangerous controlled substances, and, most importantly, save lives. I strongly express my support for the passage of Taylor's Law.

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