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I 100% Oppose this Bill, I was a smoker for 50 plus years and so I started using vapes about 10 years ago and my health has gotten much better, I can freely breathe now, and much more active. If this bill passes there will be a lot of people that go back to smoking and damaging their health. Kids should not be allowed to vape but they also shouldn't be smoking cigarettes, weed, or drinking but they will still do what they're going to do. Banning vaping will put many small businesses out of business affecting their livelihood, the state will lose the millions of dollars they receive from the vape floor tax, there will be more black market vape , people will do whatever they have to do in order to get vapes so they won't go back to cigarettes which are much more harmful. Many people enjoy vaping and they should have the choice to decide .

Banning vapes is not the answer.

Thank you