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WITNESS STATEMENT

PLEASE PRINT

NAME Michael P. MORAN BILL NO. HB 252

ADDRESS 158 Ricketts Rd Hamilton, MT 59840 DATE 2/16/09

WHOM DO YOU REPRESENT? Self

SUPPORT: X OPPOSE _____ AMEND _____

COMMENTS:

I believe that sexual orientation is innate and God given. It is no more a "personal choice" than skin color. As such I believe that gay, lesbian and transgender individuals are entitled to the same civil rights, legal protections and social privileges as any one else.