Dear Assemblymember Silver,

I am writing to note my strong opposition to Bill 10942.

Controversy surrounds vaccinations. The CDC mandated schedule is under scrutiny. Conflicting information on vaccines surfaces on a daily basis. More and more parents and medical professionals are questioning the safety and necessity of the shots.

Why so many? Why so soon? Why all the extra toxic ingredients? Why three at a time? Can't *I* choose chicken pox? Why hepatitis-b shots at birth? Why is a vaccinated child at risk around my unvaccinated child? Why, after tripling the shots in only a few decades, are our kids less healthy then ever? Why does the CDC encourage 'informed consent' and force it on us anyway?

Why do I have to accept these forced vaccines when no medical or government official can <u>guarantee</u> me they will not harm my child?

Yet our State Legislators select this very time to actually *add* shots, *increase* requirements and *strengthen* mandates to the already overloaded schedule (and the immune systems of our children). The mere existence of this bill is a slap in the face to concerned parents.

Our government has no answers and does not seem to care to ask the questions. Parents are pushing back. More parents than ever are researching and turning their backs on vaccines. The increase promises to continue.

The discussion of vaccine risk is taking place in every playgroup and Lamaze class in the State. Yet our Legislators, rather than respect our concerns and address them with answers and truly objective safety studies, force more mandates down the throats of worried parents.

Our Legislators are disregarding our legitimate concerns and it is shameful.

Bill 10942 is an embarrassment and should never see the light of day.

Sincerely,