

# IT'S THE LEGAL DESTRUCTION OF A SOUND SOCIETY

## STATE OF WEST VIRGINIA

#### **SUPPORT**

**HB 2007 - SIGNED BY GOVERNOR** 

Limits gender-affirming medical care for anyone under 18.

#### **SB 103**

To prohibit public funding of drag shows and to prohibit minors from being involved in or attending drag shows.

#### CONTACT YOUR REPS

The of the most powerful ways to impact change is through awareness and making your voice heard. Visit the link below to contact your representatives.

www.wvlegislature.gov

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### THE FACTS DID YOU KNOW?

According to the NIH, adolescence is an important time for brain development.

The brain finishes developing and maturing in the midto-late 20s. The part of the brain behind the forehead, called the prefrontal cortex, is one of the last parts to mature. This area is responsible for skills like planning, prioritizing, and making good decisions.

According to the CDC, child sexual abuse refers to the involvement of a child (person less than 18 years old) in sexual activity that violates the laws or social taboos of society and that he/she:

- does not fully comprehend
- does not consent to or is unable to give informed consent to, or
- is not developmentally prepared for and cannot give consent to

According to the CDC, the parents are responsible for ensuring that children have safe, stable, nurturing relationships and environments.

Sources:www.cdc.gov/violenceprevention/childsexualabuse/fastfact.html

www.nimh.nih.gov/health/publications/the-teen-brain-7-things-to-know