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Dear Representatives,

We, the undersigned athletes, coaches, sports leaders, as well as athletic, civil rights, religious, sexual abuse, and child protection organizations, urge the members of the House of Representatives to pass the *Protecting Young Victims from Sexual Abuse and Safe Sport Authorization Act*. This bipartisan legislation has passed the Senate and represents months of collaboration.

Research shows that the more elite the athlete, the more likely they are to be sexually abused by someone within their own entourage. Indeed, during the time that this legislation has been contemplated, some of our country's best athletes have come forward to disclose their sexual abuse by those designated to protect them.

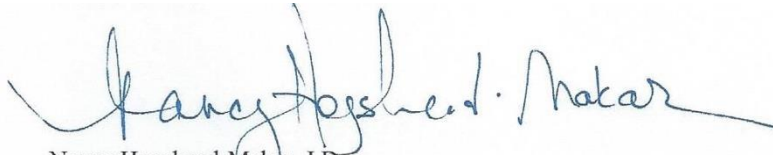
The legislation is necessary to fill gaps in legal protections for athletes not participating in school-sponsored sports. It makes all members of youth-sport organizations that travel across interstate lines mandatory reporters, much like teachers and physicians. The bill makes it easier for victims to recover monetary damages against their molester. It also authorizes the U.S. Center for SafeSport; a fairly new centralized office, that will be formally responsible for investigations and sanctions against sexual abusers. It also removes any doubt that the Ted Stevens Olympic and Amateur Sports Act, [36 U.S. Code § 220501, et. seq.](#) will not prevent a national governing body, like USA Swimming or USA Gymnastics, from investigating and sanctioning coaches found to have committed sexual abuse.

Most important, the legislation will require the members of the United States Olympic movement to address sexual abuse. Previously, when executives and administrators knew serious sexual abuse, they made conscious, deliberate decisions to deny their responsibility for addressing pedophilia and abuse in sport. Some recent stories that better detail the responsibility-shifting in the Olympic movement include:

- Will Hobson and Steven Rich: [Every Six Weeks for More than 36 Years: When will sex abuse in Olympic sports end?](#); [An Athlete Accused her Coach of Sex Abuse. Olympic officials stayed on the sideline](#); and [Documents: USOC alerted to sex abuse problems long before taking action](#), *Washington Post*.
- Tim Evans, Mark Alesia, and Marisa Kwiatkowski: [A 20-year toll: 368 Gymnasts Allege Sexual Exploitation](#), *IndyStar*.
- Alexandra Starr: [Pushing the Limit: What the U.S. Olympic Committee can — and can't — do about sexual abuse](#), *Harper's Magazine*.
- Nancy Hogshead-Makar: [#MeToo Shows Need for Tighter Rules in Club and Olympic Sports](#), *ESPN*.
- Diana Nyad: [My Life After Sexual Assault](#), *New York Times*.

- Nancy Armour and Rachel Axon: [Executive Director Out at USA Taekwondo After Handling of Misconduct Cases, USOC did not heed sexual abuse warnings in 2004, 2005, and Attorneys Call for USA Swimming Chief to be Fired, USA Today.](#)
- Scott Reid: [Senate committee to discuss mandatory sexual abuse reporting requirements for youth sports governing bodies, Orange County Register.](#)

Please contact any of us if you have questions or would like to be briefed on this issue. Your support is vital to ensure the safety of our future athletes.



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AAUW  
A.C.H.E. Foundation (Abused Children Heard Everywhere)  
Alliance of Women Coaches  
Athlete Ally  
The Association of Title IX Administrators (ATIXA)  
Atlanta Women for Equality  
Beau Biden Foundation for the Protection of Children  
California Women's Law Center  
Champion Women  
CHILD USA  
Child's World America  
Coaching Peace  
CONTACT Rape Crisis Center  
ECPAT-USA  
End Rape On Campus  
Equal Rights Advocates  
Feminist Majority Foundation  
Gender Violence Program; Harvard Law School  
Girls Inc.  
INOBT (I Know Better)  
Institute for Diversity and Ethics in Sport  
InSideOut Initiative  
KidSafe Foundation  
Legal Momentum, the Women's Legal Defense and Education Fund

MassKids; Prevent Child Abuse Massachusetts  
Massachusetts Citizens for Children  
Mission Kids Child Advocacy  
National Alliance of Social Workers in Sports  
National Coalition Against Violent Athletes  
National Consortium for Academics and Sport  
National Interscholastic Athletic Administrators Association  
National Organization for Women  
National Network to End Domestic Violence  
National Women's Law Center  
Pennsylvania Chapter of Children's Advocacy Centers and Multidisciplinary Teams  
The Redwoods Group  
Safe and Sound Campaign  
Safely Ever After, Inc.  
Samaritan SafeChurch/SafePlaces  
Sports & Fitness Industry Association  
Stop Sexual Assault in Schools (SSAIS)  
SNAP (Survivors Network of Those Abused by Priests)  
Support Center for Child Advocates  
The Crime Victims Center dba Parents for Megan's Law  
The Family Tree/Prevent Child Abuse Maryland  
The Southwest Women's Law Center  
Tucker Center for Research for Girls & Women in Sport  
Turning Point Counseling & Advocacy Center  
Uri L'Tzedek, Awaken to Justice

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West Virginia Foundation for Rape Information and Services  
WomenCAN International  
Women's Resource Center  
Women's Law Project  
Wrestle Like A Girl, Inc.

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Member, USOC Athlete's Advisory Council

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USOC Athlete, Advisory Council Alternate

**Tara Profitt**, 1984 and 2012 U.S.  
Paralympian; USOC Athlete Advisory  
Council Member, USATT Board Member,  
USATT AAC Chair

**Donna de Varona**, Swimming; 1960, 1964  
Olympian, Two Gold Medals, Emmy-Winning  
Journalist; Women in Sport Advocate, Special  
Consultant to the U.S. Senate

**Iris Zimmermann**, Fencing; 2000 Olympian;  
Vice President, U.S. Olympians and  
Paralympians Association (USOPA)

**Micki King**, Springboard Diving; 1968 and  
1972 Olympic Teams; 1972 Gold Medalist;  
First Chair, USOC Athlete's Advisory  
Council; Colonel, U.S. Air Force; Current  
Vice President of the U.S. Olympians and  
Paralympians Association (USOPA)

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Olympian & Paralympian Association  
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2012 Olympic Teams; 2008 and 2012 Gold  
Medalist; Former Athlete Representative, U.S.  
Rowing Board of Directors; Current Vice

President, U.S. Olympians and Paralympians  
Association (USOPA)

**Martina Navratilova**, Tennis; 59 Grand Slam  
Titles, 9 Wimbledon Singles Championships,  
Athlete's Rights Advocate, Broadcaster

**Greg Louganis**, Diver, Four-time Olympian,  
Five Olympic Medals

**Lyn St. James**, Racecar Driver; Founder,  
Project Women in the Winner's Circle

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Coach in the WNBA; Assistant Coach NBA,  
Founder/President Nancy Lieberman Charities

**Gary Hall Jr., Swimming**; Three-Time  
Olympian, Ten Olympic Medals; Olympic  
Hall of Fame Inductee; Sanford Health  
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2004, 2008, Gold and Silver Medals, First  
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Baseball

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Sexually Abused by Coach Mitch Ivey

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Survivor of Coaching Sexual Abuse

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Women's team 1995-1998; Survivor of Coach  
Sexual Abuse

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Former GO! Athletes Collegiate Ambassador  
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**Jancy Thompson**, Swimming; Survivor  
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Child & Family Services, Survivor of Coach  
Sexual Abuse

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Survivor, Teacher

**Katie Hnida**, Football; First Woman to Play  
and Score in an NCAA Division I Game;  
Sexually Assaulted by Teammate

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