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Hi,

I am a Portland Public Schools teacher writing in support of House Bill 2644 to accurately measure student to teacher ratios and ensure that we have ratios that can foster the best teaching and learning. Having high school teachers be responsible for teaching, grading and helping a load of 180- 250 students is seriously compromising education in our state. We can't continue to sweep this issue under the rug and pretend that we are committed to public education. Please support OEA's efforts to ensure that we have reasonable student to teacher ratios and that information be clearly evident to all concerned.

Thank you. Hyung Nam '1820 SE 44th Ave. Portland, OR 97215