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i have been a direct support professional for 2 years now and i chose this field because i have a deep passion for people who can use help i have dedicated more hours in this field than i have in any other profession i have been in because of the passion that i have for the people i serve, i am finding it harder and harder to support myself and my family on the wages i currently make due to rise in cost of almost everything, so in turn i work even more hours to make up for these costs i cannot stretch myself any further. i strongly support this bill and believe that a wage increase is very necessary.