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Hello my name is Daniela Lucescu. I have been an adult care home operator for 9 years. I love what I do because I feel like I am giving back to my community and helping vulnerable individuals find comfort, safety and peace in a home like environment. I love taking care of people and being able provide personalized care during their most fragile stage of life.

Having the additional capacity would help tremendously to keep up with inflation, cost of living increases and help support the increase of employee wages.

I feel this additional capacity bill is long overdue based off surrounding states. It is my understanding that something like 500 care homes have shut down in the last couple years. This bill should allow more homes to stay afloat in these difficult times. Thank you for your consideration