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On Behalf Of:	
Committee:	House Committee On Labor and Workplace Standards
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	HB2792

RE: Support for HB 2792

To the House Committee On Labor and Workplace Standards,

Providence claims that we are harming our community by withholding our labor. We are standing up for our community to fight for safe staffing, and pay and benefits to retain our experienced nurses.

They also say that they cannot afford to give us a fair and competitive contract. We deserve to know exactly how much they are willing to spend on strike nurses (who do not know, or care about our community like we do) and the advertising and recruiting to obtain those nurses.

The community they claim to care about deserves to know how much hospital systems are prepared to pay to avoid fair and competitive contracts with their dedicated staff nurses.

Thank you for accepting my testimony and I look forward to your support. Gabrielle Hislop RN