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On Behalf Of:

Committee: House Committee On Labor and Workplace

Standards

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Topic:

HB2792

RE: Support for HB 2792

To the House Committee On Labor and Workplace Standards,

I am a new grad nurse and was hired by Providence in December. On January 10th I went on strike and have remained on strike until now. It is troubling to me that an institution that I wanted to be a part of was willing to let a strike happen in the first place. How many of me as a new nurse resident does a replacement nurse cost? Would the community in which I work and live be happy about this number? I and we (the community) deserve to know why an enterprise that claims to be there for them is willing to provide them with less. Lesser money and compensation for me and lesser care for their community.

Thank you for accepting my testimony and I look forward to your support. Seth Perrine RN