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On Behalf Of:	
Committee:	Senate Committee On Labor and Business
Measure, Appointment or Topic:	SB916

RE: Support for SB 916

To the Senate Committee On Labor and Business,

I'm a nurse at Providence St Vincent. We aren't holding the line to be greedy. We want livable wages and safe staffing for our patients. It's a financial struggle to be out there on the sidewalk and not earning a paycheck. We'd all rather be inside working with patients, but we will not lower our standards. Unemployment would be beneficial to those of us who have families to support. It's not just us being affected; we have children, spouses, and others who depend on our income. Please help support the nurses so we can get a fair contract and get back to doing what we do best, nursing!

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