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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Rules

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB1166

Dear Chair Jama, Vice-Chair Bonham, and members of the committee,

I'm a driver for Lyft who rents a vehicle through Lyft and I make so much less than those who don't rent their vehicle. At the start of my week (Monday-Wednesday) I essentially work for free to pay said rental off. We deserve fair pay because when riders pay \$9.99/\$10.99 for a short ride and I only get \$3.75 out of it, it really hurts.

We as drivers deserve to state our side of the story when Lyft decides to randomly deactivate our account with no rhyme or reason.

As for benefits, we should have PTO and sick time. I cannot count how many times I had to work when under the weather because I couldn't afford to stay home. The only option to make any kind of sick time is for me to travel to Washington to work for paid time off. I would rather stay in Oregon and still work to have PTO. The way these apps are taking so much from us and we still have to manage taxes is ridiculous.

Please pass Senate Bill 1166.

Thank you,

Chelsea Noyes

Lyft Driver