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On Behalf Of:

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Dear Senate Committee on Education:

As a former university staff member, I strongly support having requirements related to hiring committees, especially for the role of president. This ensures universities are hiring based on what the university wants and needs from its constituents. Too often, hiring committees are composed of higher-level positions and little consideration is given to lower-level positions and students who are most impacted by hiring processes. This requirement adds a layer of expectation on universities that they engage in hiring processes that reflect the university body.

Thank you.