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On Behalf Of: HB 3789

Committee: Senate Committee On Labor and Business

Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB3789

I am writing to oppose HB 3789. While the bill aims to prevent impersonation of union representatives, it is overly broad and could suppress free speech and dissent. The bill's enforcement mechanisms create an environment of fear, discouraging advocacy and activism. Additionally, it targets specific organizations, specifically the Freedom Foundation, which are critical of union practices and undermine the legislative process.

I urge you to vote against HB 3789 to protect the rights of individuals and organizations to freely express their views and engage in advocacy. Without organizations like the Freedom Foundation, we would lack representation and miss learning about the false information disseminated by SEIU 503.