

## Rhode Island Works Best When We Say UNION YES.

February 23, 2021

Dear House Member:

On behalf of the Rhode Island AFL-CIO, we are writing to express our support for H-5619 by Representative Noret. This bill would require students to successfully complete a training program in health and safety on the job, workers' rights, and workers' compensation before a special limited work permit could be issued. There is no cost to the student and there is no impact on general revenue as it will be paid by DLT from the administrative fund. This program is supported by DLT and will ensure young workers know their rights, and will help in relieving injuries on the job.

Thank you for your consideration of our position. If you have any questions or need further information, you can reach us at (401) 751-7100 or E-mail at info@riaflcio.com.

Sincerely,

George Nee President Patrick Crowley
Secretary-Treasurer