

March 13, 2025

The Honorable Joseph Solomon Chair, House Corporations Committee Rhode Island State House Providence, RI 02903

Re: H 5415 -- An Act Relating to Financial Institutions – Licensed Activities

Dear Chairman Solomon,

I am writing on behalf of the Rhode Island Bankers Association ("RIBA") to express our concern with the above-captioned proposal. Financial institutions have the highest level of security among critical U.S. industries and the most stringent regulatory requirements. Financial institutions must comply with the requirements contained in H 5415 through the Gramm-Leach-Bliley Act.

We remain available to discuss this proposal further.

Sincerely,

RHODE ISLAND BANKERS ASSOCIATION

William Tarrell

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Cc: The Honorable Brian Patrick Kennedy