

## Lisa Cataldi

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Dear Ms Cataldi,

I am writing to oppose bill H8531. As a homeschool family we appreciate the freedom to school our children at home. We believe that no family should have to wait to begin homeschooling and the power to decide how a child is schooled is best decided by their parents. Bill H8531 would give school committee's too much power and discretion to decide who is fit to homeschool their children. We therefore are asking that this bill be opposed.

Sincerely,  
Sarah Ankrom  
Homeschooler in Chariho School District

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