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Subject: ATTN STEVE SEPE SUPPORT FOR BILL H-5351

Dear Clerk Steve Sepe,

My name is Brittney Rodrigues and I am a registered nurse in the state of Rhode Island. I am writing to express my strong support for Bill H-5351.

Throughout my career, I have routinely carried out delegated orders from APRN's, MD's and PA,s across various healthcare setting. I firmly believe that administering cosmetic injectables should not be treated any differently from other procedures performed by registered nurses in specialty fields. In fact, RNs are already entrusted with delivering treatments that carry significantly higher risks than aesthetic injectable and laser hair removal.

It is disheartening to see the role and expertise of registered nurses be restricted in this area. Our extensive education and clinical training prepare us to safely and effectively provide these treatments. Limiting our scope in this field undermines our professional capabilities.

I urge you to consider the voices of registered nurses and support Bill H-5351to protect our rights and care we provide.

Sincerely,

Brittney Rodrigues, RN

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