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Subject: Strong Support for Bill H-5351

ATTENTION: CLERK STEVE SEPE

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Rhode Island House of Representatives 82 Smith Street Providence, RI 02903

Dear Members of the Rhode Island House of Representatives,

I am writing to express my strong support for Bill H-5351. As a small business owner serving Northern Rhode Island, I believe that the passage of this bill is essential for both my business and the community I serve. I have been a proud small business owner since 2021.

If Bill H-5351 does not pass, my business will face significant negative consequences. The scope of my practice will be unfairly limited, restricting the services I am able to provide to my clients. This would not only harm my ability to sustain and grow my business but would also reduce access to important services for residents in Northern Rhode Island who rely on my expertise.

Small businesses like mine are the backbone of our local economy. Limiting our ability to operate effectively will have a ripple effect, impacting not just business owners, but also the individuals and families who depend on our services. Bill H-5351 provides necessary protections and updates that will allow us to continue contributing to Rhode Island's economy and the well-being of our community.

I urge you to support and pass Bill H-5351 to ensure that small businesses like mine can continue to serve our communities without unnecessary restrictions. Thank you for your time and consideration.

Sincerely,

Jane Freitas, APRN Face First, LLC

Sent from Jane's iPhone