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Hello,

My name is a Scott Lariviere, and I am a treatment coordinator at Seven Hills Rhode Island. I want to thank Chairwoman Donovan and Committee member for considering the ABA Bill H5253 as it is vital that commercial insurers maintain competitive payments to ABA providers such as Seven hills Rhode Island. I have been working in this field for 26 years, and it imperative that children with challenging disabilities receive ABA services to ensure they learn the life skills necessary to navigate into adulthood. I have sadly seen children with disabilities not receive services such as ABA at pivotal times in their lives which leads to them struggling as adults and needing services that could have been eliminated or reduced if they received supports at a core phase of their development. Please PASS ABA Bill H5253 to keep a very important program sustainable and to avoid further challenges.

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