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To the Senate Committee on Education,

My name is Adria Lande, and I am a resident of Providence and a proud Providence public school teacher. I am writing to you today to urge you to OPPOSE Senate Bill 2934 regarding the reconstitution of the Providence Public Schools and changes to teacher employment protections.

While the crisis in our public education system demands urgent attention, stripping educators of fair due process, undermining dismissal protections, and allowing inequitable minimum salary schedules across different districts will not fix our schools. Dismantling teacher protections makes it incredibly difficult to recruit and retain the dedicated educators our students desperately need.

Rather than imposing punitive measures on teachers and ending state oversight abruptly without a clear, sustainable community-led plan, we need to focus on providing equitable and adequate funding for all public school students. Passing S.2934 will only create further instability in our classrooms.

I respectfully ask that you vote NO on Senate Bill 2934 and instead focus on solutions that actually support our educators, students, and local communities.

Thank you for your time and your service to our state.

Sincerely,

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