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**Written Testimony of  
The Permanent Commission on the Status of Women  
Before the  
Judiciary Committee  
Monday, February 25, 2008**

**In Support of: SB 326, AA Requiring the Child Support and Arrearage  
Guidelines to be Updated Every Two Years**

Senator McDonald, Representative Lawlor and members of the committee, thank you for this opportunity to provide written testimony on behalf of the Permanent Commission on the Status of Women (PCSW) in support of SB 326 which would require the child support and arrearage guidelines be updated every two years instead of every four years.

PCSW sits on the Commission for Child Support Guidelines and have longed believed that the update should occur more than every four years. A child's needs and circumstances may drastically change over a period of time and reviewing it every four years is not sufficient.

We look forward to working with you to address this important issue. Thank you for your consideration.

**35<sup>th</sup> anniversary  
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