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To: Human Services

Re: Raised Bill 6668

Good Morning Senator Doyle, Representative Walker, and members of the Human Services Committee

I learned and opposed the Raised Bill 6668. This proposed bill would hurt my sister and many other people with disabilities who require personal assistants.

The proposed Personal Care Attendant Quality Workforce Council's duties are redundant of services from Allied Community Resources Fiduciary Services, who oversees the various waivers that are use by people with disabilities. The creation of the Personal Care Attendant Quality Workforce Council is the first step toward beginning a union for personal assistants. Having a union would have negative implications for both the people with disabilities and for personal assistants.

Please vote 'NO' to Raised Bill 6668.

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