American Eagle
Federal Credit Union

To Members of the Labor Committee:

My name is Susan M. Bushnik, VP/HR from American Eagle Federal Credit Union. We are a financial institution doing business in Connecticut for 75 years. We have 18 locations in Central Connecticut. Over 96,000 members belong to AEFCU.

I am writing to voice my opposition to SB-63, which would require Connecticut employers to provide paid sick leave. This proposal will substantially increase our business costs and could force us to reevaluate the other benefits we provide our employees.

We utilize 20 to 30 part-time employees, representing about 10% of our workforce. They do not receive sick time as part-time employees. This would place an additional burden on employers by requiring sick time for part-time employees.

We urge you to reject this proposal and work with the business community to control labor and workplace costs in Connecticut. Thank you.

Signed,
Susan M. Bushnik
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