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To: Education Committee of Connecticut

Subject: Testimony in support of **S.B. 1138**

"Bullying" is a very sensitive subject for all the kids attending schools, some of the kids can't even differentiate when they are being bullied!

I see the bill just talks of it being applied just on the school property; I suggest it should apply from the school bus pick up...till drop off.

Kids are future of this nation and their minds are full of innocence when they start the school, but bullying has a major impact in their social development which play a role in defining - what kind of Citizen will they be when they grow up!

I am father of 6 yr old daughter and I am sure my thoughts are in line with majority of parents who wants safe, creative and encouraging environment for their kids.

Sincerely,

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