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Statement
Of
Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield
On
SB 979 An Act Concerning the Assessment Methodology Used by the Insurance
Department and the Office of The Healthcare Advocate

Good afternoon, Senator Crisco, Representative Fontana and members of the Insurance and Real Estate Committee. My name is Christine Cappiello and I am the Director of Government Relations for Anthem Blue Cross and Blue Shield in Connecticut and I am here to testify on **SB 979 An Act Concerning the Assessment Methodology Used by the Insurance Department and the Office of The Healthcare Advocate**

We believe we understand the intent of the legislation but are unclear of the impact to the company as we are still analyzing the bill. We look forward to working with the Department of Insurance on this legislation as it moves through the process.

Thank you for your time and I am here to answer any questions that the Committee might have.