

**RAISED BLL NO. 0.5239**

**AN ACT CONCERNING THE DISCLOSURE OF PERFORMANCE  
EVALUATION OF THE ARBITRATORS OF THE STATE BOARD OF LABOR  
RELATIONS AND THE STATE BOARD OF MEDIATION AND ARBITRATION**

Senator Prague and Representative Zalaski, my name is Ray Shea and I come to oppose performance evaluations of employees and arbitrators of either Board.

There is close companionship throughout these venues all of whom are favorably recognized. We believe in establishing good performance, but have no fear in need of performance, however with the leadership of both Boards each and every employee is known and abilities foreseen. Performance of each is witnessed on each and every day. To know they are on "watch" would only tend to deteriorate their outstanding and dedicated work. The Raised Bill would also require notice to the Labor Commissioner and the Governor. Again, there is no clear reason why that should be affected. The Directors of both Labor Relations and Mediation and Arbitration have all employees under strict guidance and control. There truly is no need for this innovation and the proposed Raised Bill should be respectfully rejected.

