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To: Members of the General Law and Labor Committees

I am a student in the Heating, Ventilation and Air Conditioning (HVAC) program at Henry Abbott Technical High School in Danbury, Connecticut. I am currently enrolled in the work study program. The company who I work for could have hired me sooner but was restricted by the current requirement that employers must follow in terms of licensed mechanics to apprentices. I support HB5454 and SB268 which will allow more employers to hire other students to help meet the requirements for more HVAC mechanics in the Danbury area.

Sincerely,



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