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March 6, 2014

Re: Support of HB 5314

To: The labor and Public Employees Committee

My name is Stephen Tagliatela a co-owner of Saybrook Point Inn, LLC (Old Saybrook) , Franklin Construction, LLC (New Haven) and North Haven Health & Racquet, LLC.

I request that you support HB 5314 allowing \$60m of the projected state surplus to pay interest to the federal government for funding of our unemployment compensation system.

My companies employ about 300 people. Our unemployment compensation taxes are very significant to our business. We find that taxes and government mandated costs each year increasingly make it difficult to operate in Connecticut.

Please support HB 5314 for the benefit of businesses and employment in Connecticut.

Respectfully,

Stephen Tagliatela

