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Attention DPH Committee Members:

I would like to say I oppose HB 5537, section 6.

The reason being that Speech Language Pathologists are not required to take any classes in behavior analysis, nor do they have any training or experience related to the provision of behavior analytic services as part of their training to become SLP's. Consumers of ABA services would be negatively impacted by this modification to an SLP's scope of practice.