

Senator Gerratana, Representative Ritter and Members of the Public Health Committee

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Re: SB 1089 An Act Concerning Mental Health Services

I am writing this letter to provide support to SB 1089 (sections 23-29) in favor of licensure of behavior analysts in the state of Connecticut. It is essential that licensure be established for professionals who provide behavioral services to children and adults with special needs and behavior disorders.

I live in Connecticut and have heard of the problems our public schools have faced because of people impersonating behavior analysts. Please consider passing this bill as it will protect children and adults with mental illness.

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