

DO NOT PASS HB Bill #5552; An Act Concerning Special Education.

I am a parent of a SPED Student and I absolutely oppose HB Bill #5552; An Act Concerning Special Education.

**This bill creates a time consuming and costly barrier to the resolving due process issues
It unfairly protracts and delays access to appropriate interventions for the disabled child.
This Bill also tips the scales towards school districts because "independent" arbitrator
qualifications ensure a high likelihood that these roles will be filled by current or former
employees from within the public education system.**

PLEASE DO NOT SUPPORT OR PASS THIS BILL!!

**It is unfair to the special needs children and their families. It will just set up additional hurdles
and roadblocks that we already struggle on daily basis to get fair treatment and services for
our children.**

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