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To: HSGTestimony
Subject: Connecticut Fair Housing Laws House Bill 5342

Honorable members of the Housing Committee:

My name is Kathy Dubay and I fully support the concept of fair and equal housing opportunities for all. fair for both sides, owners/landlords and tenants. my past experience has been one sided to the prospective tenant. not once was I treated fairly by the State and the office of CHRO due to false accusations made.

I am very upset after learning that anyone accused of violating the CT Fair Housing Law does NOT have equal protections under our current statutes that the accuser has and think this is "Unfair" and needs to be fixed immediately. this current process is one sided only toward a tenant and must be overhauled within the State of CT and the office of Commission on Human Rights, (CHRO) I have witnessed so much discrimination within the office of CHRO it made my head spin. and that office is paid by Tax payers money! shame shame! what you do for one, you must do for all.....not the case here.....

*I encourage you to vote in favor of **House Bill 5342** as it was originally intended and extend to owners the right to one appeal if they choose to have an administrative hearing as currently tenants have **unlimited** appeal rights (reconsideration) and owners have **none**. I beg of you to overhaul the system and have fair and equal rights for both sides.*

Please contact me if you wish to discuss this matter further.

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