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Cc: James Carr; Tom Purcell; Paul Caramanica
Subject: S.B. 468

Dear Judiciary Committee Members,

I am writing on behalf of my employer, H. Carr & Sons, Inc. in support of the provision in S.B. 468 that would require CHRO to make a decision on a contractor's affirmative action plan within 90 days.

Our wait time has been as long as one year after project completion. (Project No. 901134, Project No. 11-042) both UCONN projects.

We received a "Close Out in Disapproval Status" on project # 901134 (UCHC Main Building Renovation Phase II) for not resubmitting a set aside plan when for project was already complete.

We waited 16 months after completion for CHRO's disposition on project# 11-042 (UCONN Health Center Ambulatory Care Center).

For more than a year H. Carr has been working with a CHRO consultant and while the communication has certainly improved, the approval/disapproval time is very long and financially burdensome.

Thank you for your consideration on this matter.

Respectfully,

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