

Dear Insurance and Real Estate Committee legislators,

I am not in favor of a government run health-care system in CT. Despite all of your best intentions, or what ever problem you might be trying to solve, no government program has ever run more efficiently than the private sector has been able to run it. Even in the private sector there is some bureaucracy and waste, but the loss of private insurance sector jobs (one of the few job markets we are known for), increased insurance costs to both employers and employees and the increased taxes that we all will have to bear to compensate for the failure, will create a far worse problem.

THIS IS NOT THE DIRECTION WE NEED TO GO.

Consider the Republican's plan instead:

It protects middle-class families and Connecticut jobs.

It lowers health insurance premiums up to 20 percent while not harming our state's insurance industry.

It makes health insurance more affordable, but it does not put thousands of Connecticut jobs in jeopardy.

Our state is in deep trouble right now - don't make it worse with SB 842

Thank you, Donna Person

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