Dear Representative Doherty and other members of House Committee on Education,

My name is Beverly McCormick. I am a licensed Speech Language Pathologist who works in an outpatient hospital clinic. Part of my job involves helping students recover from brain injury.

I support Bill 4140 because I believe the bill will provide the immediate help these students need to manage their often unrecognized and painful symptoms. Bill 4140 offers students the opportunity to mitigate potential long term negative outcomes. As a therapist, I work with these students for 1-2 hours a week but the provisions of this bill will allow positive changes to help support student learning throughout each school day.

Thank you for your consideration of Bill 4140.

Sincerely,

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