Dear Senate Health Care Committee,

I am a patient of a Naturopathic Doctor (ND). I would like to share my experience working with an ND as a medical provider and ask you to please support SB772.

I have worked with many types of medical providers, and none have taken the time and shown the care in my health and welfare like my naturopathic physician. The level of education, support and competent care that I have received has not only helped me move forward with my health conditions, but has renewed my faith in the healthcare system. My naturopathic physician was essential when I was being treated for a rare form of cancer that required 16 weeks of chemotherapy and a hospitalization. I would not have tolerated my treatment without her deep expertise and assistance and she continues to help me maintain my health.

I am asking you to vote yes on SB772 and support fair pay for Naturopathic Doctors.

Sincerely, Pamela Neferkara