Submitter: Renee Perry

On Behalf Of: Lacey Hallquist ER RN

Committee: House Committee On Judiciary

Measure: HB4142

Hello,

My name is Lacey Hallquist and I am writing you to express my support for the amendment that would make violence against nurses a felony. As an ICU nurse in Oregon I have witnessed violent acts against my coworkers at the hands of patients and I have heard horrifying stories of sexual assault and violence towards nurses, all of which have gone unanswered for. I appreciate the movement to protect nurses while they work. Please let me know if there is anything additional I can do to help this get moved forward.

Sincerely, Lacey Hallquist