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RN wages should not be capped. We work extremely hard, don't get our federal mandated breaks, work overtime, work with minimal support from management, are always understaffed, sub par PPE while working throughout the pandemic and have NOT received back wage increase difference dated back to October. The list can go on, but the wage should not be capped by legislature. Before this passes, follow a nurse for 12 hours and see how you like the conditions. We are exposed to COVID every day, and continue to show up to work. The treatment we receive from patients are horrific. We are called names, yelled at by patients, at times we are physically assaulted. The lack of respect and support is unbearable. The wages of travel nurses should not be a question in legislature. This madness needs to stop!