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I oppose this new bill. Having been a Surgical Technologist for over 25 years, this brings serious insult to us that went to school and sat for the National Certification. Even those who get through school, many are simply not competent or meant for this profession. Lowering the standards means our patients don't deserve the best care. Maybe next, we can start ojt for nurses. Can their job not be taught on the floor? Standards should be held high and only get higher, not the other way around I'm already disgusted that nurses can learn our job simply because they went to nursing school. We are a specialty. And nobody should be allowed to fill our shoes without the schooling IN Surgical Technology and tests to support that. I ask everyone who gets to make decisions about my career to walk in my shoes. Until you have done so, you haven't a clue how hard our jobs are physically, mentally, and emotionally.

Thank you,  
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