Submitter: Alexander Cheney

On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Health Care

Measure: SB60

My name is Alexander Cheney.

I have been in EMS for 3 years and I am a member of Teamsters 223.

I strongly oppose this bill. Allowing this bill to pass would devalue EMS. I believe that lowering the education requirement will worsen the quality of care paramedics provide and allow companies to decrease the compensation they currently provide to paramedics. I believe we should be working to increase the value of our education and make our work life balance better.

Thank you,

Alex Cheney