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On Behalf Of:
Committee: Senate Committee On Labor and Business
Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB916

RE: Support for SB 916

To the Senate Committee On Labor and Business,

I have been on the strike line for 28 days and now have missed 2 full paychecks. My employer have been dragging their feet when it comes to responding to our proposals. They movement on our contract have been minuscule for the past 14 months. They refuse to give us our back wages, which are due along with increasing our wages to be competitive in Portland, Metro market. If we were able to obtain unemployment benefits, while striking, it would give motives for Providence to come to the table with realistic proposals. Please consider Senate Bill 916/House Bill 3434 to help the employees to fight the excessive corporate greed, especially in healthcare.

Thank you for your time. Please do the right thing.
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