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I support House Bill 3824, which would allow physical therapists to prescribe durable medical equipment. Physical Therapists are experts in movement and there is we are arguably the best qualified group of healthcare providers to assess mobility needs. Physicians and other medical professionals frequently rely on us to determine if patients require walkers, canes, wheelchairs, scooters, special parking needs, etc. and we have skillfully done so for decades. Allowing us to prescribe durable medical equipment would make our system of health care delivery more efficient and give patients quicker access to solutions. I urge you to vote in favor of this bill.

Thank You,

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