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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Labor and Business

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB916

Dear Senate Committee on Labor and Business,

My name is Stacey, and I'm a nurse at Providence Milwaukie Hospital. Right now, I am on strike—a decision that has come at great personal and financial sacrifice, not just for me but for my family and my coworkers. Striking isn't about wanting more; it's about ensuring that patients receive safe, quality care and that nurses can continue working in a system that isn't breaking us. Yet, while we fight for the well-being of our communities, we are left without any safety net, expected to endure financial devastation just to advocate for what is right.

I urge you to vote YES on SB 916. If hospitals can receive public support, so should the workers who make them function.

Thank you.