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On Behalf Of:

Committee: Senate Committee On Labor and Business

Measure, Appointment or Topic: SB916

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Senate Committee on Labor and Business

Re: Senate Bill 916

Dear Chair Senator Taylor, Vice-Chair Senator Bonham and members of the Committee:

It is almost insulting to those of us who are working to allow this bill to go forward. People who join in organized labor movements such as a strike are well aware of what the risks are. They work for the union, which is "protecting them". Or not. That is their choice.

They want something more than what they've got, so they strike. They walk off their jobs. They act like children.

It is not the state's responsibility to relieve them of the hardship of lost wages when they walk off their job. If this passes our state is making a serious wrong turn in what our future may be.

It is not the tax payer's responsibility to fund such nonsense.

Thank you, Richard Wisner