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On Behalf Of:
Committee: House Committee On Health Care
Measure, Appointment or Topic: HB4074
To: the House Health Care Committee and Representative Emily McIntire
Re: Opposition to HB 4074

Passing HB 4074 is a direct slap to the face of Nurses and the patients they care for. It will lead to longer wait times to receive the care they deserve and increase staff burnout and the risk of making mistakes.

I have worked ICU for 28 years and have seen Nurses leave their profession because they can not provide the level of care they were trained for. If the hospital complied with the staffing laws then they wouldn't have to pay the fines. Seems so simple.

Perhaps the hand washing monitoring system they installed after Covid was an expensive and bad decision since it was taken down.

Thank you for the opportunity to provide these comments and I urge you to oppose this dangerous bill.