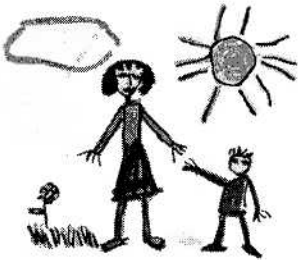


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Dear Independent Regulatory Review Commission,

I am writing to advise that I fully support the final form regulations for Childcare Subsidy, Chapter 168. These regulations are the only safeguard for our children who are in childcare and their health and safety should be of the utmost importance regardless of the childcare setting that they are in or the business status of the programs that are available in the community.

Please carefully consider accepting the final form regulations for Childcare Facilities and also consider that the quality of childcare available to families in Pennsylvania will be affected by your decision. Please support high quality childcare facilities for our children by supporting the final form regulations for Childcare Subsidy, Chapter 168.

Thank you for your consideration,

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