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Mr. Buckheit,

I am writing concerning the educational interpreting regulations. I am opposed to the proposed score of 3.5 on the EIPA . I have been an educational interpreter for 16 years and have taken the EIPA 3 times and have not reached the 3.5. There is not an interpreter training program in the area but I do attend as many workshop and conferences as possible. I feel that our job is more then just acheiving a score of 3.5 on the EIPA. The students I have serviced have been very satisfied and sucessful. If this bill were to pass it would leave many students without interpreters, is there an alternate plan???

Jane DiMenno