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Dear Ms. Findley,

Thanks for the opportunity to express our concerns about the legislation being proposed. I am a huge advocate for immunizations and I think this is a great idea. However, it will require an increase in clerical time for all school nurses who will need to review immunization records before the first day of school. I know we already do this, but if there is no longer a provisional period, it will increase the time we need for this. I don't know if school districts across the state will be prepared to roll this out until the 17/18 school year. Also, we will need a huge publicity blitz, some of the small Christian Schools etc, have low vaccination rates and this will be a huge adjustment for them.

Sincerely,

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