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Dear Members of the IRRC,

I am submitting a comment in favor of the changes to PA Code 22, the Pennsylvania School Code. These particular regulations, if approved, regulate charter schools.

It is high time that Pennsylvania changes its charter school regulations to require fiscal accountability and transparency from charter schools. Charter schools are public schools, but have been given a "pass" in how they admit students and use the tax money allocated to them. I believe IRRC #3315 levels the playing field and regulates charter schools as closely as possible to regular public schools.

Thank you for the opportunity to comment on this important matter.

Yours truly,
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